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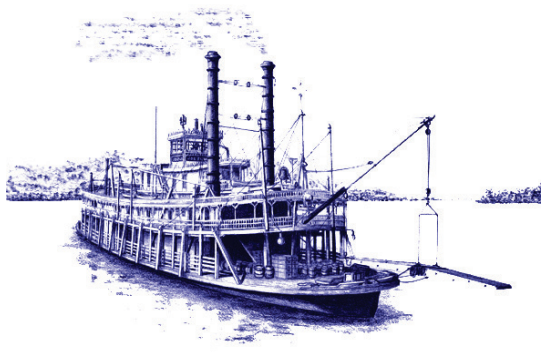

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Mark Campbell

Firefighters surround the corner of Court and Main streets in downtown Carrollton while battling an early morning fire on Tuesday.

Massive fire destroys historic building in downtown Carrollton

No injuries reported but structures a total loss

BY MARK CAMPBELL

Firefighters in Carrollton battled a multialarm fire Tuesday morning after being called back to the scene where a smaller fire took place on Monday at the corner of Court and Main streets on the Carroll County Courthouse Square.

The original blaze took place at about 3:30 p.m. on Monday near the rear of two gift shops in the historic Siersdorfers Building at 430 Main St. The second call came at about 5:30 a.m. Tuesday when the original fire is thought to have rekindled and spread

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CFD photo

Flames rise above the historic Siersdorfers Building during Tuesday's fire in downtown Carrollton.

KSP investigating officer-involved shooting in Milton

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Kentucky State Police are investigating a trooper-involved shooting that took place in Trimble County on Tuesday.

The shooting involved a trooper in the area of Moffett Road in Milton, Kentucky, at approximately 8:51 p.m. on Tuesday. A male subject was transported to University of Louisville Hospital for treatment.

The incident is being investigated by the Kentucky State Police Critical Incident Response Team, which responded to the scene. The investigation remains ongoing.

According to a KSP press released, the Kentucky State Police Critical Incident Response Team has statewide jurisdiction and investigates officer-involved shootings throughout the Commonwealth as requested by local, state and federal law enforcement agencies.

Based on standard operating procedures, the KSP does not release specific details of a case until vital witnesses have been interviewed and pertinent facts gathered, the press release said.

The Drake Bar to reopen soon

CHARLIE **ROHLFING**
CHARLIE'S BEAT

The rules were you had to drink one beer and use the restroom at every bar in town. We knocked out the Hereford Lounge and the Crown Room on the hilltop, then proceeded downtown so we could walk between the remaining bars.

We were taking our time and all was going reasonably well, until late in the night when we hit The Drake. I remember pleading with my friends, "I'm fine to have a beer here, but PLEASE don't make me go into that restroom!" It was so scary!

"I've heard those stories about the old Drake," relates Jimmy Davis, new owner of the bar, and owner of The Central just a couple of doors down. "I can assure you the restrooms and everything else are totally updated and clean now. Fresh paint, refinished floors, remodeled bathrooms, and a brand new kitchen area at the back.

"Our goal is to open by April 1st serving pizza, and we expect to have our liquor license sorted out by July at the latest, then we'll be open as a full service bar. My sister, Gail Freeman, has agreed to come on and be the manager at The Drake.

"At first I was a bit hesitant about opening another pizza place in town, but this pizza is pretty special. It's the old Hippie's Pizza that operated for a time up in Vernon. We bought the equipment and the recipes and the whole thing. Once you taste it you'll see why we're excited to bring it to Madison.

"The other thing I'm very excited about is the music we're planning to feature at the bar, once we get things going. I've always dreamed of owning my own little venue where I could feature exactly the kind of music I enjoy and the kind of quality I think true music lovers will really appreciate.

"Through my travels to Nashville, Tennessee, and other places, I've met and heard so many songwriters and musicians whose talent is just top tier, really a cut above the ordinary. Those are the people I want to bring to The Drake and share with the people of Madison.

"There will be an emphasis on musicianship and good original songwriting. And we're even thinking about having a weekly jazz night, where the best area musicians can really stretch out and show their stuff.

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City Council tweaks policies on electronic attendance

BY MARK CAMPBELL

Madison City Council approved a resolution Tuesday to tweak its policies concerning attending meetings electronically.

Although no longer as much of an issue as during the height of the COVID-19 pandemic — all local meetings currently are in person and open to the public — the council took action to better define the use of electronic participation by elected officials and various board members as well as access to the public.

The resolution basically stipulates that city officials, council, board and committee members can opt to attend their respective meetings "by any electronic means of communication" and that the public can simultaneously attend those same meetings with the exception of executive sessions that are closed to the public.

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Madison man facing felony in BB gun shooting of boy

BY THE COURIER STAFF

A 9-year-old Madison boy suffered two wounds from a BB gun on Sunday and an 18-year-old Madison teen has been charged with felony battery in connection with the case.

Jacob Scott Durham

The shooting took place on Springwood Drive near Oak Hill Park on Madison's hilltop on Sunday.

According to an investigation by Madison Police, Jacob Scott Durham, 18, of Madison, was identified as the person who pointed a BB gun at the juvenile and fired the weapon striking the boy twice.

Madison Police officer Josh Nolan responded to the incident with the initial investigation indicating that the incident occurred as the juvenile was walking near Oak Hill Park and approached by Durham along with another adult male and a juvenile.

Durham, an adult at age 18, was arrested for Battery Resulting in Moderate Bodily Injury, a Level 6 felony, and was lodged in the Jefferson County Jail. He was later released on his own recognizance and placed on pretrial release conditions that include not possessing fire arms, BB guns, knives or weapons of any kind and that he have no contact with the alleged victim.

A pretrial date has been set for 8:30 a.m. on April 26 with a trial date set for 9 a.m. on June 21.

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JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL

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March 21, 2022

Andrew C. Downing, 34, on an arrest warrant and hold for another county. No bond.

Sadie Elaine Wells, 27, Madison, for Auto Theft, a Level 6 felony and Invasion of Privacy, a Class A misdemeanor. No bond.

March 22, 2022

Jonathan Thomas Earl, 45, on a Jefferson County bench warrant. No bond.

Jason B. Ross, 32, on a Jefferson County warrant for Probation Violation. Bond $2,500 cash.

Ashley N. Walters, 35, North Vernon, Indiana, on a Jefferson County Level 5 felony arrest warrant. Bond $10,000 cash.

Darri Elaine Youngblood, 27, Madison, on Jefferson County Level 4 and Level 6 arrest warrants. No bond.

March 23, 2022

Kirk Samuel Lewis, 41, Milton, Kentucky, on a Jefferson County arrest warrant. Bond $2,500 cash.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

SENTENCINGS

March 21, 2022

Logan Thomas Hutsell, 26, Madison, for Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated-Endangerment, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 360 days jail with credit for zero days served and 360 days suspended for supervised probation plus $500.50 in fees and court costs.

Kristy Lynn Brown, 43, Madison, for Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor, and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail plus $585 in fees and court costs.

Michael Allen Sampson, Madison, for Possession of Marijuana, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail plus $585 in fees and court costs.

Tyler David Humbert, 31, Madison, for Driving While Suspended-Prior Conviction, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to two days jail with credit for two days served plus $185.50 in fees and court costs.

Alexis Jordan Barnes, Milton, Kentucky, for Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail plus $585 in fees and court costs.

Nicholas Andrew Fisher, Madison, for Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail plus $585 in fees and court costs.

Casey Lynn Richardson, 22, Lexington, Indiana, for Knowingly or Intentionally Operating a Vehicle Without Ever Having Obtained a License, a Class C misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail plus $185.50 in fees and court costs.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Dessie Turner (grantor) to Jonathan Sprague and Lana Sprague (grantees), 1.6 acres at 2639 North K Road, Madison.

Robert A Brawner (grantor) to Robert A. Brawner and Andrea L. Brawner (grantees), 3.2 acres at 7357 W. Ramsey Creek Road, Lexington.

Ellen D. Stoner and Ellen D. Norris-now known (grantors) to Williams Kubik (grantee), 113 Madison Ave., Hanover.

Charles A. Cox (grantor) to Tracy L. Storm (grantee), 2005 Blackmore St. Madison.

Robert A. Maust II (grantor) to Robert A. Maust and Michelle Maust (grantees), 1633 Crozier Ave., Madison.

Christopher Steven Lynn and Gina Larson Lynn (grantors) to Christopher Steven Lynn and Gina Larson Lynn, 214 W. Second St., Madison.

Charles Herman Bear and Sherry Lynn Bear (grantors) to Lee P. Sneed and Daniella Sneed (grantees), 4765 N. 600 West, Madison.

Jerri M. Marshall (grantor) to Jerri M. Marshall and Floyd Gibson Sr. (grantees), 1643 Bear St., Madison.

Connie Barron and Kenneth Barron-deceased (grantors) to Taya Anne Barron, Marta Lee Vestal and Connie Barron (grantees), 1525 Bear St., Madison.

Hamilton Investment Properties LLC (grantor) to Aaron W. Wilson (grantee), 139 Sycamore South Drive, Hanover.

JCBT delays VMI contract for more details

BY BOB DEMAREE

Visit Madison Inc. was back before the Jefferson County Board of Tourism on Monday hoping to finalize a 2022 contract that would include a $123,000 increase over last year and allow the hiring of an executive director after operating without that staff position in 2021.

VMI officials presented a funding request for operations seeking $293,711 after being budgeted $170,000 in 2021 when the executive director's position was left vacant when Tawana Thomas was laid off.

In a previous meeting, VMI officials told JCBT the executive director's salary would be in the $60,000 to $75,000 range. On Monday, the board asked for more specific details on staff salaries and where the nearly $300,000 budget would be spent.

VMI president Lucy Dattilo, marketing director Sarah Prasil and office manager Tiffini Poling were on hand Monday to discuss the contract for 2022, which ends on March 31, 2022.

VMI's marketing budget was initially set at $110,700, but Prasil resubmitted that at $133,800, noting it was the marketing budget 10 years ago. She said with tourism now beginning to move forward following the pandemic "this is not the time as far as marketing goes to pull back."

Curtis Chatham, treasurer of the JCBT, said the additional funding for VMI would push JCBT's budget to $556,511, more than the $420,000 request Chatham said JCBT had submitted and approved by Jefferson County Council.

Chatham and Commissioner David Bramer, who also serves as JCBT president, said they will need to work with County Auditor Heather Huff in determining what might be necessary for JCBT to change its 2022 budget now that it was approved last year by County Council.

"We need to go the Auditor and ask how do we work through this," Bramer said.

Another issue that came up is that VMI's budget submitted to JCBT indicated an overall budget of $410,000 which includes funding VMI receives in addition to what JCBT provides so Bramer asked for a specific breakdown of the $293,711 that VMI is requesting from JCBT.

Prasil said $211,711 would be for salaries, $56,500 for office expenses, $10,000 for postage, $3,000 for conference travel, and $12,500 for other expenses. With only VMI's total budget available at the meeting, Prasil noted the $211,711 amount for salaries in the JCBT request was determined by subtracting non-salary portions of the operation budget.

"It's part of business to operate a Visitor Center," said Prasil, adding it's all part of the contract.

However, Bramer asked for a more specific breakdown, even if that only shows the percentage of salaries JCBT will contribute.

Prasil noted that in previous years, VMI was only asked to submit its overall budget and not one that itemizes what portion JCBT contributes from the county's innkeepers tax. She said that also included last year, which was the first year for a contract between VMI and JCBT.

Dattilo noted JCBT already has had the information on VMI's budget, along with the amount requested. "For eight weeks, it's been sitting, and this is the first I heard of this. We need a contract," said Dattilo, noting she doesn't want another lapse in contract like occurred in the first half of last year during negotiations between JCBT and VMI.

"I'm sorry we didn't bring it up sooner. We're not here to make sure there's not a contract," said Bramer. "We're here to make sure there is a contract.".

He indicated the contract could be finalized at next Monday's regular meeting, but if not JCBT could provide funding for VMI until one is completed.

"Our contract expires March 31," Dattilo said. "I'd prefer for a professional organization not to operate without a contract. We did it for six months last year, and it was only with concern for the tourism industry that it would not suffer."

Board member Jim Bartlett suggested that in order to better convey the portion of VMI's budget being funded by JCBT, that a column could be added to the overall VMI budget that lists the percentage coming from JCBT funds, and have that information ready for Monday's regular JCBT meeting when it is hoped that a contract can be finalized.

Chatham noted that a five-year average of $420,000 for the innkeepers tax was established as a means to determine JCBT's budget.

Bartlett said he understands why that five-year average is being used as criteria for the budget to "protect the integrity of the monies moving forward, to be sure there's a cushion if we have a down year."

However, Bartlett added, "I think we have got to find some flexibility here in order to be able to extend that budget beyond the numbers we had discussed" in order to fund an executive director for VMI. He said having VMI operate without an executive director handicaps the agency.

"There really is no one steering the ship," Bartlett said. "Furthermore, there is no one who is serving and representating Jefferson County to the region and the state, so we absolutely have to find a way to get an executive director."

"What VMI does is important," board member Ron Bateman said. "There are some things I hope they will do."

Bateman cited "Tourism 365" — a plan to attract tourists 365 days a year rather than just for festivals and events — as an example. "The 365 thing is really important ... These things really come down to leadership. Every endeavor comes down to leadership. So they need an executive director."

Chatham said JCBT currently has approximately $630,000 in its money market account and $180,000 in an investment account for a total of roughly $810,000. Last year, a record $537,606.48 was raised from the innkeepers tax, a significant increase from the $304,126.18 collected in 2020 when the COVID-19 pandemic resulted in a cancellation of festivals and other events in the county.

Bateman noted that while there should be some consideration to the tax's five-year average, he thinks "there are trends we haven't accounted for that might change that, and are reasonable, and not blue sky or pie in the sky."

He said anticipating those trends can be helpful because there may be more money available than the average would indicate. "Are we going to try to squeeze blood out of turnip, and then find out we have a lot more money than we thought?" he noted.

VMI board member Nancy Crisp, who last year served on the JCBT board, said there is already a provision in the contract with VMI that allows adjustments in funding in instances when there is a decline in the innkeepers tax that doesn't provide satisfactory funds.

"VMI may not be perfect, but they're the best we've got," Bateman said. "We ought to take care of them and get them moving. They have a job to do. Let's get them going."

As a side note, Bateman, the owner's representative as developer of the Eagle Cotton Mill into the Fairfield Inn and Suites by Marriott, said the new hotel is the second-rated Fairfield internationally in the Marriott system.

COUNCIL

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However, at least 50% of the board's membership must be present and those attending electronically cannot attend two consecutive meetings electronically and still be counted as present.

According to Mayor Bob Courtney, the resolution is designed to "accommodate members who lack being able to physically attend meetings" so that city business can continue uninterrupted by allowing them to participate electronically.

The electronic means for attending would be at the discretion and responsibility of the board member who is unable to attend in person. It could involve a phone or computer connection as long as the person attending electronically can be heard and/or seen by other board members and members of the public as well as hear and/or see members attending in person or through another electronic connection.

Courtney said the city had "established best practices" to facilitate electronic participation by city officials and the public earlier in the COVID pandemic but that was made easier by executive orders from the governor and mayor declaring a health emergency that suspended some of the requirements. Madison City Hall was closed to the public and meetings were shifted to an online Zoom format.

He said with the pandemic now reaching a phase where the health emergency has been canceled, the time is now to reassess the city's policies moving forward. Although the city's meetings are already webcast on YouTube, Courtney said the city would probably extend its contract with the Zoom format used previously to allow board members and visitors to see, hear and communicate with each other through teleconferencing as needed.

In what was an otherwise light meeting in terms of action, the council also heard the first reading of two ordinance amendments related to the Cable Advisory Board and 9-1-1 interlocal agreement.

The cable board proposal would reduce the number of board members from nine to six in an effort to streamline decision making and facilitate finding enough volunteers to serve to reach a quorum. The board, which is currently made up of three members each representing Jefferson County, Madison and Hanover would in the future include two members each.

The amendment would need a second and third reading as well as a period for comment before adoption.

The 9-1-1 proposal would amend the interlocal agreement between Jefferson County, Madison and Hanover for the administration of the county's 9-1-1 dispatch.

Since 9-1-1 staff members are all county employees, the proposal would also allow for a more focused budget process because the current process involves three governmental entities that do not always line up. In fact, over the past decade or so the process has created a budget surplus in the 9-1-1 fund since the service operates off state and local funding. The amendment would allow for those local funds to be redistributed.

The amendment would also need a second and third reading as well as a period for comment before adoption. Courtney said more details will be made available as the process continues.

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Temperature: High 62, Low 41, Mean 53, Excess 12.8
Precipitation since last published: .10.
Precipitation, March: 2.73.
Precipitation, 2022: 14.21.
Barometer: 29.66, Falling
River Level at IKE: 425.0, Falling
Three-Day Forecast: Friday: Cloudy High 48/Low 35; Saturday: Mostly cloudy High 44/Low 28; Sunday: Partly cloudy High 44/Low 26.

LOTTERY

INDIANA
Hoosier Lotto: 2-16-18-24-38-42 (3/20). Next Estimated Jackpot: $8.8 million. Next Drawing (3/23).
Daily 3: 0-4-0 SB: 9
Daily 4: 5-2-0-9 SB: 9
Cash Five: 1-3-11-18-38 (3/22)
Cash 4 Life: 5-19-49-54-60 CB: 1 (3/22)

KENTUCKY
Pick 3: 9-8-5
Pick 4: 5-7-0-2
Cash Ball: 2-3-12-30 CB: 23 (3/22)
Lucky For Life: 9-11-26-34-36 LB: 6 (3/22)

POWERBALL
1-15-26-63-65 PB: 16 PP: 2 (3/21). Next Estimated Jackpot: $167 million. Next Drawing (3/23)
POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY: 14-17-25-51-57 PB: 24 (3/21). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to $10 million. Next Drawing (3/23)

MEGAMILLIONS
8-15-21-27-61 MB: 8, MP: x3 (3/22). Next Estimated Jackpot: $50 million. Next Drawing (3/25)

BIRTHDAYS

Editor's Note: Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641. Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.

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MARCH 25, 2022
• Ed Ededuwa
• Dakota Yount

MARCH 27, 2022
• Tina Scott

OBITUARIES

Thomas Moore

Thomas Paul Moore, 82, of Lexington, Indiana, died Monday, March 21, 2022, at his home near Kent, Indiana.

He was born on Jan. 13, 1940, at his family's home in Indianapolis, to Kenneth and Marie Catherine Robinson Moore. He was raised in Indianapolis and attended school there. He was inducted into the US Army on Feb. 24, 1958, in Indianapolis, and rose to the rate of private first class and served three years active duty. He was honorably discharged on Feb. 23, 1961, at Fort Benning, Georgia, receiving the Good Conduct Medal. He was then transferred to the Reserves and was honorably discharged on Feb. 23, 1964. He married Wanda Fay Couch on Feb. 15, 1963, and they had three daughters and a son. He worked for Olge Tucker Buick in Indianapolis as a parts manager for 24 years. While in Indianapolis he attended the Thompson Road Baptist Church for more than 25 years and was active in the church, sang in the choir, drove the church bus and taught Sunday school. He and his wife moved to the Madison community four years ago to be closer to family and attended Cornerstone Baptist Church in Hanover, Indiana. He adored his dogs and loved traveling, especially to Key West.

Survivors include his wife of 59 years of Lexington; his daughters, Kathryn Stephens of Madison, Indiana, Kimberly Moore of Clarkesville, Tennessee and Karen Moore of Fort Bragg, North Carolina; his son, Kyle Moore of Hanover; and four grandchildren, seven great grandchildren, a cousin and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Clara Moore; and a grandson.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. on Friday, March 25, at Cornerstone Baptist Church in Hanover. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Madison. Visitation is noon until time of services on Friday at the church. A final salute and military honors will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. on Friday at the church by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Cornerstone Baptist Church Children's Ministry through the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Hanover and Madison. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Carlos York

Carlos E. York, 83, of Underwood, Indiana, died Monday, March 21, 2022, at Baptist Health Floyd in New Albany, Indiana.

He was born on Jan. 29, 1939, in Whitesburg, Kentucky, to Coy and Minttia Boggs York. He married Lois M. Middleton York on Dec. 29, 1960. He served in the US Army, was owner and operator of York's Body Shop for 20 years and also worked at Future Satellite Company for several years. He was a member of the Church of God in Charlestown, Indiana, and enjoyed fishing, playing the mandolin, banjo and guitar. He played in a church band, Forest Ridge Band, and several other bands during his lifetime.

Survivors include his wife of 61 years of Underwood; his siblings, Yvonne Campbell of Jeffersonville, Indiana, Sheila Dean of New Albany and Pat York and Jim York, both of Charlestown; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Everett York; and two sisters, Phyllis Antz and Evadean Miles.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Friday, March 25, at the Adams Family Funeral Home & Crematory in Henryville, Indiana, with burial at the Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Madison, Indiana. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Thursday and 10 a.m. until the time of service Friday at the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be given to the family through the funeral home to assist with funeral costs. Online condolences, www.adamsfuneralhomeonline.com.

Kathey Jones

Kathey Jean Jones, 63, of Madison, Indiana, died Thursday, Dec. 16, 2021, at the Hanover Nursing Center in Hanover, Indiana.

She was born on April 1, 1958, in Madison, to Tom Jones Sr. and Wilma Hall Jones. She was a graduate of Ivy Tech Community College with two degrees. She spent many years volunteering in various capacities at the Salvation Army of Madison where she helped in the office, the Thrift Store, and the soup kitchen. In her spare time, she enjoyed reading, making candy, doing crafts with her grandchildren, and making gifts for her family and friends. She enjoyed going on road trips, shopping and working the election polls with her best friend, Mary Distel. She enjoyed helping others.

Survivors include a son, Jonathan Jones and a daughter, Tamika Thompson, both of Madison; her sister, Penny Hart; her brothers: Tom Jones Jr. and Reggie Jones; and five grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a daughter, Javetta Matthews; and a sister, Belma Sullivan.

A celebration of life will be held at 6 p.m. on her birthday, Friday, April 1, 2022, at the Coopers Creek Campground on Coopers Bottom Road in Milton, Kentucky. A memorial benefit also will be held at 6 p.m. on Saturday, April 2, 2022, at the Central Hotel in downtown Madison.

Arrangements entrusted to Lytle Welty Funeral Home & Cremation Service, Vail Chapel, in Madison. Online condolences, www.lytlewelty.com.

Kathryn Robbins

Kathryn Berniece Robbins, 87, of North Vernon, Indiana, died Monday, March 21, 2022, at Columbus Regional Hospital in Columbus, Indiana.

She was born on Nov. 20, 1934, in Commiskey, Indiana, to Virgil and Mabel Dart Johnson. She married Louie Lee Robbins Sr. on Feb. 19, 1954, in North Vernon. She was a 1953 graduate of Marion High School and worked as a home health caregiver for 12 years before retiring in 2003. She was a member of Coffee Creek Christian Church. She enjoyed gardening, working outdoors, raising chickens, bird watching, mowing and working word search puzzles.

Survivors include a son, Louie Robbins Jr. of North Vernon; three daughters, Peggy French of North Vernon, Nancy Webster of Deputy, Indiana, and Carol Bobb of Nabb, Indiana; two sisters, Ruth Holley and Bettie Wright, both of Commiskey; and 12 grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 68 years on Jan. 8, 2007; a daughter, Jackie Adams; two brothers, Earl and Odis Johnson; two sisters, Thelma Maschino and Evelyn Johnson; and other family members.

Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. on Friday, March 25, at Mt. Zion Methodist Church Cemetery in Jennings County, Indiana. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. until dismissal for graveside services at the Dove-Sharp & Rudicel Funeral Home and Cremation Service in North Vernon.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Mt. Zion Cemetery Association through the funeral home. Online condolences, www.dove-sharprudicel.com.

Paulette DuVall

Paulette Irene Schmidt DuVall, 74, of Hanover, Indiana, died Sunday, March 20, 2022, at the Thornton Terrace Health Campus in Hanover.

She was born on March 29, 1947, in Bellevue, Iowa, to John and Alvera Deppe Schmidt. She was raised in Maquoketa, Iowa, and graduated high school there in 1965 before attending the University of Iowa. She married Gary DuVall on Oct. 6, 1967, at the US Air Force Academy Chapel in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and they had a daughter and a son. The family first settled in the Patriot, Indiana, community and then moved to Madison, Indiana, and finally to Hanover where they had resided since 1974. She received her bachelor's in education from Indiana University Southeast and began a teaching career in the first grade at Southwestern Elementary School and later taught fourth grade before retiring with 32 years of service. She was a member of Hanover United Methodist Church, where she taught adult Sunday school for many years. She was also a member of the Indiana State Retired Teacher's Association. She loved crafts, making dolls, making handmade cards and sewing.

Survivors include her husband of 54 years of Hanover; her daughter, Michelle Thurnall of Hanover; her son, Chad DuVall of Madison; four brothers, Robert Schmidt of Dubuque, Iowa, Dale Schmidt and Virgil Schmidt, both of Maquoketa, Iowa and Douglas Schmidt of Mason, Illinois; her sister, Annette Lechtenberg of Maquoketa; and five grandchildren, six great grandchildren, several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Dean Schmidt.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Thursday, March 24, at the Hanover United Methodist Church in Hanover. Interment will be at a later date in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Madison. Visitation is 11 a.m. until time of services Thursday at the church.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Hanover United Methodist Church through the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Hanover and Madison or at the church. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Bernice Lansdale

Bernice Wright Lansdale, 83, of Carrollton, Kentucky, died Saturday, March 19, 2022, at Carroll County Memorial Hospital in Carrollton.

She was born in Owen County, Kentucky, to Walter "Buck" Wright and Elizabeth "Lizzy" Skirvin Wright. She was a member of Carrollton First Baptist Church. Survivors include two nieces, Elizabeth Wright and Vanessa Gividen.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a son, Raymond Douglas "Doug" Lansdale on Sept. 8, 2021; and three brothers, Hubert Wright, Beverly Wright and Herbert Wright.

Graveside services will be at noon on Thursday, March 24, at the Carrollton I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Carrollton. There will be no visitation.

Memorial contributions may be made to Carrollton First Baptist Church. Arrangements entrusted to Graham-Dunn Funeral Home in Carrollton. Online condolences, www.grahamdunnfh.com.

Jefferson County back in blue

COVID-19 metric indicates low spread but Carroll reports 44th death

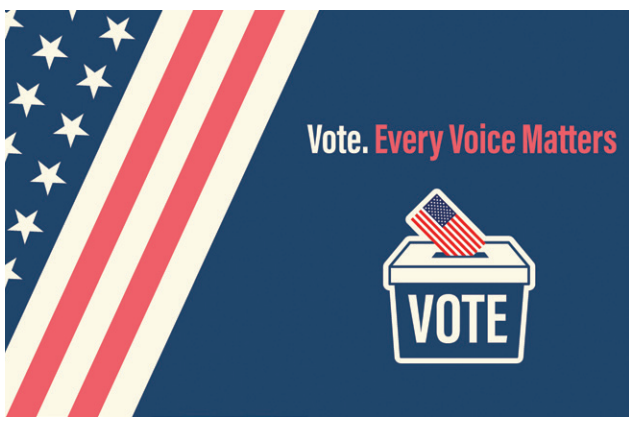
BY THE COURIER STAFF

Jefferson County's COVID-19 infection rates were back in the "blue" indicating low community spread while Switzerland County remained in the "Yellow" for moderate spread when the Indiana Department of Health updated its metrics on Wednesday.

Jefferson County's positivity rate is now 0.5% — the lowest in the four-county area — but even as COVID-19 numbers continue on the decline, one new death was reported in Carroll County.

Carroll County has now had 44 deaths during the pandemic, including COVID-related death reported in data released Monday by the Kentucky Department of Public Health. Death totals remained the same in Jefferson County with 142, Trimble County with 39 and Switzerland County with 20.

Meanwhile, other area positivity rates are Switzerland County 0.9%, Trimble County 1.16% and Carroll County at 2.44%. The overall positivity rate for Indiana is 2.2% while the statewide rate for Kentucky is 3.08%.



Early voting to begin April 5

May primary date is May 3

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Early voting in Jefferson County begins Tuesday, April 5, at the Jefferson County Courthouse with additional satellite locations on specified dates at the Jefferson County Public Safety Center and the Hanover Community Park building.

Once early voting begins at the Courthouse, that polling place will ne available on weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. through Friday, April 29, excluding Good Friday on April 15. The last day for early voting at the Courthouse will be Monday, May 2, from 9 a.m. to noon. However, voting will be available on two Saturdays at the Courthouse — April 23 and April 30 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Voting at the Jefferson County Public Safety Center, 620 Green Road, will be from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. on the following dates — Tuesday, April 12; Thursday, April 14; Tuesday, April 19; Thursday, April 21; Tuesday, April 26; and Thursday, April 28.

Voting at the Hanover Community Building, 200 Spruce Lane, will be from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. on the following Wednesdays — April 13, April 20 and April 27.

Any registered voter can cast votes at any of the three locations.

"We are hoping for a good early voting turnout," said County Clerk Tabatha Eblen.

Primary election day will be Tuesday, May 3, with polls open at locations throughout the county from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. with voters required to cast their vote at the polling location for the precinct where they live.

Grote names O'Neal executive director of US Engineering

BY SPECIAL TO THE COURIER

Grote Industries has announced that Chief Engineer Chuck O'Neal has been promoted to executive director to lead and manage the US Engineering organization.

"Grote Industries is fortunate to have an engineer and leader with the broad range of experience O'Neal has acquired over his 35 years working for Grote," said Dominic Grote, CEO and President of Grote Industries. "Chuck knows our products, their applications, and our customers better than virtually anyone else."

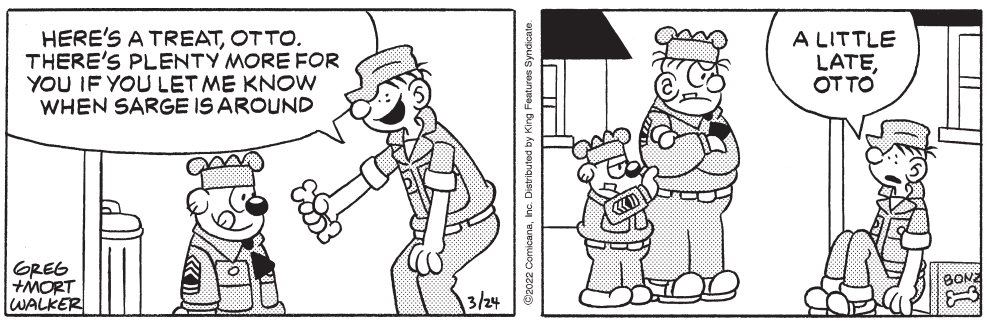
Chuck O'Neal

O'Neal started his career at Grote Industries in 1987 as a design draftsman working on the newly launched UBS wire harness product line. Over the years, O'Neal has served in an engineering design and development capacity for nearly every product line Grote Industries offers, helping to launch many staple lighting products for the heavy-duty industry. In addition to designing and launching new products, O'Neal is also known for tackling challenging projects, especially those associated with meaningful cost reductions.

In 1999, O'Neal's responsibilities began to include development management and oversight for a team of engineers. His leadership roles have subsequently included group leader, engineering manager, manager of current products, and most recently, chief engineer. He is known to take new engineers under his wing, aiding their development into engineering professionals.

"Chuck's strong work ethic, commitment to completing tasks, and dedication to Grote's core values of Trust, Integrity, Responsibility and Respect have made him a trusted leader at Grote Industries," Grote said of O'Neal's role as a mentor and leader. "Under O'Neal's leadership as the new Executive Director for US Engineering, the future of Grote Industries looks bright."

BEETLE BAILEY


HERE'S A TREAT, OTTO. THERE'S PLENTY MORE FOR YOU IF YOU LET ME KNOW WHEN SARGE IS AROUND
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A LITTLE LATE, OTTO
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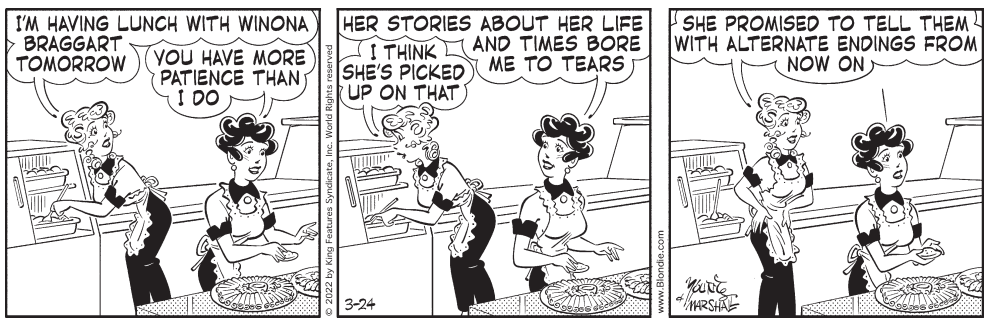
I'M HAVING LUNCH WITH WINONA BRAGGART TOMORROW
YOU HAVE MORE PATIENCE THAN I DO
HER STORIES ABOUT HER LIFE AND TIMES BORE ME TO TEARS
I THINK SHE'S PICKED UP ON THAT
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SHE PROMISED TO TELL THEM WITH ALTERNATE ENDINGS FROM NOW ON
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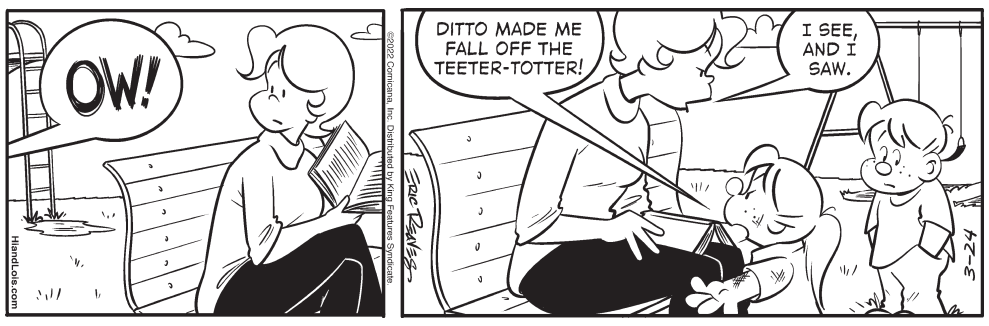

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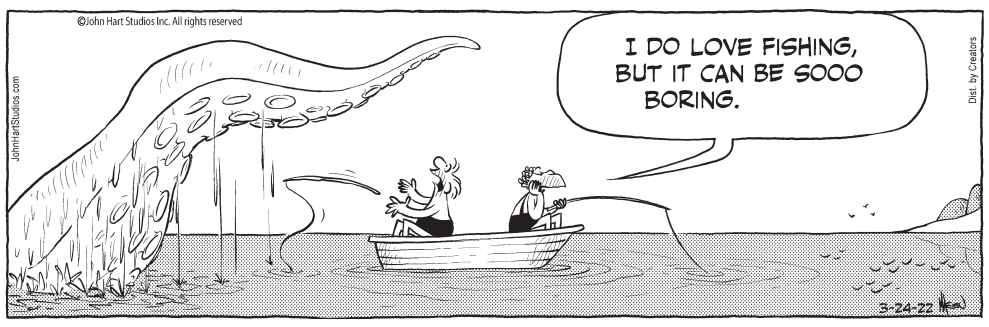
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I DO LOVE FISHING, BUT IT CAN BE SOOO BORING.
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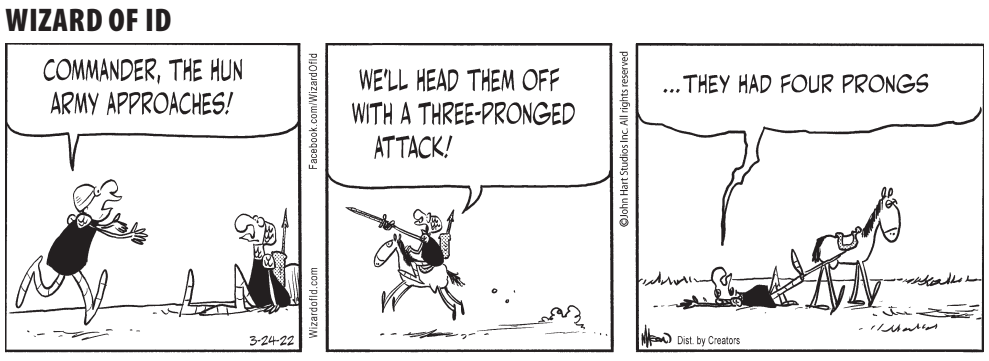

DILBERT

YEARS AGO, I DISCOVERED A WAY TO HACK THE SIMULATION.
FROM THAT DAY ON, EVERYTHING THAT HAPPENED IN THIS SAD THING YOU CALL YOUR REALITY WAS BECAUSE I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE FUNNY.
YOU'RE A MONSTER.
HUMOR IS SUB-JECTIVE.
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GARFIELD

YAAAHHH!
GROSS!
I HATE IT WHEN I WALK INTO A SPIDERWEB!
YOU AND ME BOTH, BROTHER
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FORT KNOX

I'M STILL NOT IN GREAT SHAPE, GENERAL.
BUT YOU SPEND ALL YOUR TIME IN THE GYM!
I KNOW! IT'S FRUSTRATING.
MAYBE YOU SHOULD HIRE A PERSONAL TRAINER?
OR STOP GOING TO THE McDONALD'S NEXT DOOR.
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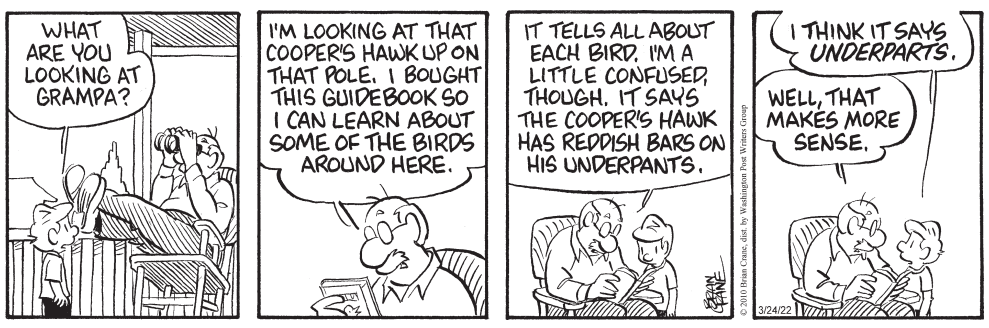
WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING AT GRAMPA?
I'M LOOKING AT THAT COOPER'S HAWK UP ON THAT POLE. I BOUGHT THIS GUIDEBOOK SO I CAN LEARN ABOUT SOME OF THE BIRDS AROUND HERE.
IT TELLS ALL ABOUT EACH BIRD. I'M A LITTLE CONFUSED, THOUGH. IT SAYS THE COOPER'S HAWK HAS REDDISH BARS ON HIS UNDERPANTS.
I THINK IT SAYS UNDERPARTS.
WELL, THAT MAKES MORE SENSE.
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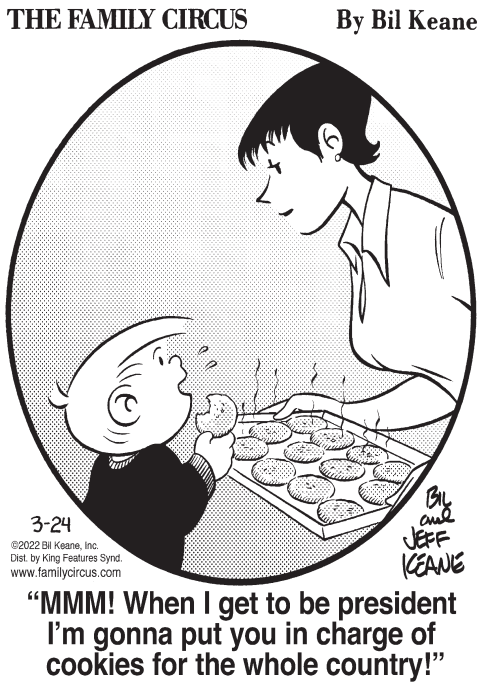
THE FAMILY CIRCUS
By Bil Keane
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BIL and JEFF KEANE
"MMM! When I get to be president I'm gonna put you in charge of cookies for the whole country!"

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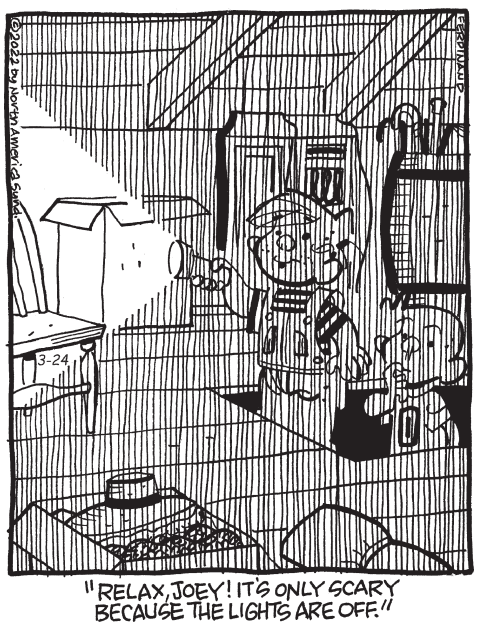

BABY BLUES

WREN IS TRYING TO MAKE SENTENCES!
REALLY?
SO FAR, IT'S JUST RANDOM WORDS SHE HEARS AROUND THE HOUSE.
CHIN HAIN CELYOOWITE!
UH...MOSTLY FROM HER FATHER.
OBVIOUSLY.
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CURTIS

OH! THERE GOES A FIRE ENGINE!
DO YOU THINK THEY'RE GOING TO PUT OUT A FIRE?
NO, BARRY, THEY'RE GOING TO A PIE-EATING CONTEST.
I HATE SMART ANSWERS!
STOPPIT, BOYS, STOPPIT!!
I HATE DUMB QUESTIONS!
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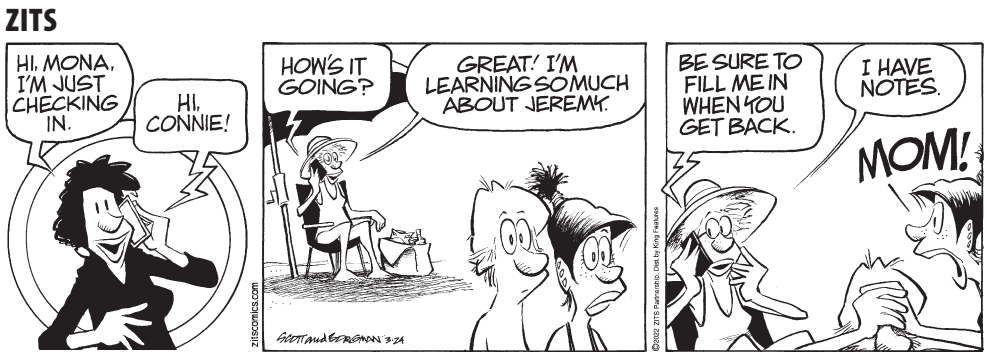
HI, MONA, I'M JUST CHECKING IN.
HI, CONNIE!
HOW'S IT GOING?
GREAT! I'M LEARNING SO MUCH ABOUT JEREMY.
BE SURE TO FILL ME IN WHEN YOU GET BACK.
I HAVE NOTES.
MOM!
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Boyfriend's secret friendship has me wondering

ANNIE **LANE**
DEAR ANNIE

Dear Annie: I've been seeing this guy since early December. He's perfect in every way, except he seems to be attached to this one woman, "Suzy," who he became good friends with due to unfortunate pasts connecting the two of them. Since the very beginning, he has always been honest with me about his platonic relationship with Suzy.

While I have no issue with him being best friends with Suzy, there were a couple of instances that I found troubling. He seems to want to keep his friendship with Suzy in the bubble just for the two of them, while he's "forcing" me to accept her by mentioning her name so very often. I know part of it might be that he wants to be honest with me whenever he has plans with her. The last time he mentioned that he was planning to watch her son's event with her, I offered to join them — it was a public event, so no one would feel like a third wheel — but again he rejected the idea.

I'm somewhat confused by their relationship because if they're just friends, I don't understand why he always has problems including me so I can get to know her, too. I feel that their relationship is definitely more than a platonic one because he seems to be very involved emotionally with her, even if they do not have a physical relationship. Do you think my new relationship with him is doomed? Should I give up now before I get hurt later on? — Confused in Michigan

Dear Confused: His friendship with another woman does not constitute a problem, but his secrecy of it does. Even if there is no infidelity, his behavior is making you feel like a second choice.

Tell him that it's important to you to spend some time with Suzy. Frame it as an expression of your love for him rather than your suspicion of her: "If she's an important part of your life, then of course I want to get to know her!"

One thing to consider: You say your boyfriend's friendship with Suzy formed "due to unfortunate pasts connecting the two of them." If he and Suzy have experienced similar traumas or losses in their lives, perhaps he views her as a safe space. Through couples therapy, he can better communicate what he values in his friendship with her, and you can better communicate your concerns.

"How Can I Forgive My Cheating Partner?" is out now! Annie Lane's second anthology — featuring favorite columns on marriage, infidelity, communication and reconciliation — is available as a paperback and e-book. Visit http://www.creatorspublishing.com for more information. Send your questions for Annie Lane to dearannie@creators.com.

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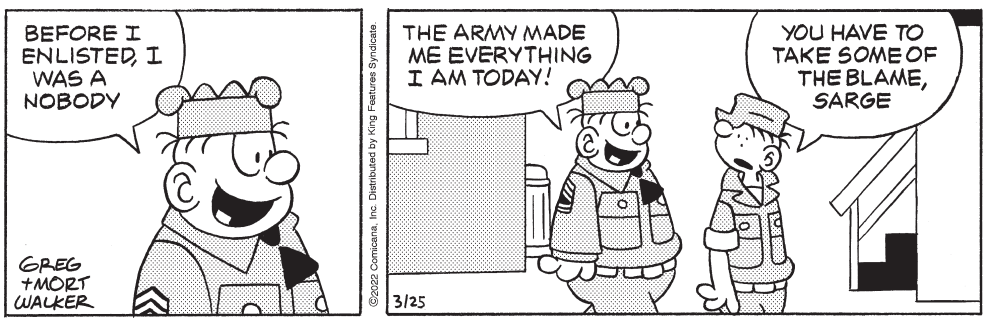
BEFORE I ENLISTED, I WAS A NOBODY
GREG + MORT WALKER
THE ARMY MADE ME EVERYTHING I AM TODAY!
YOU HAVE TO TAKE SOME OF THE BLAME, SARGE
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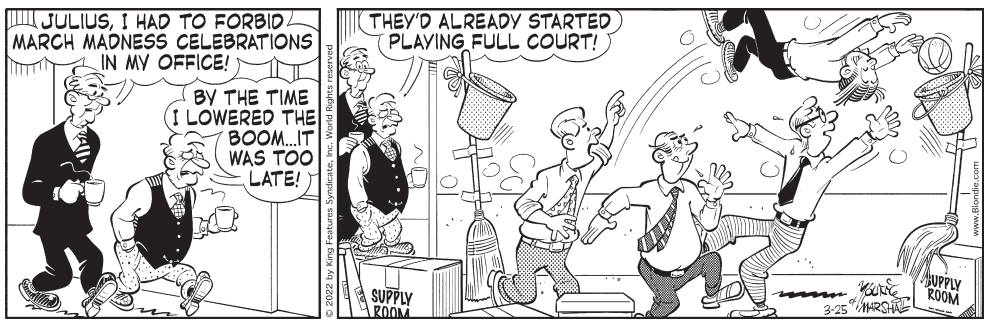
JULIUS, I HAD TO FORBID MARCH MADNESS CELEBRATIONS IN MY OFFICE!
BY THE TIME I LOWERED THE BOOM...IT WAS TOO LATE!
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THEY'D ALREADY STARTED PLAYING FULL COURT!
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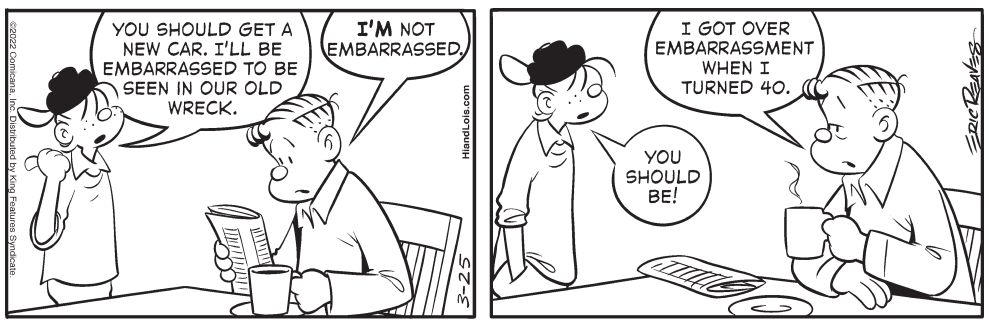
YOU SHOULD GET A NEW CAR. I'LL BE EMBARRASSED TO BE SEEN IN OUR OLD WRECK.
I'M NOT EMBARRASSED.
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I GOT OVER EMBARRASSMENT WHEN I TURNED 40.
YOU SHOULD BE!

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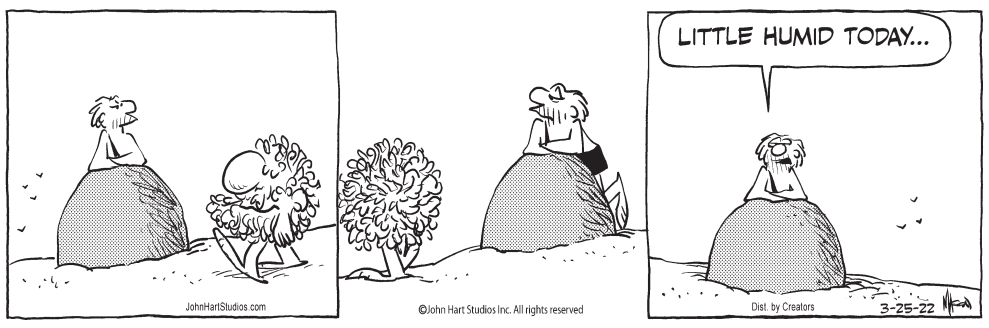

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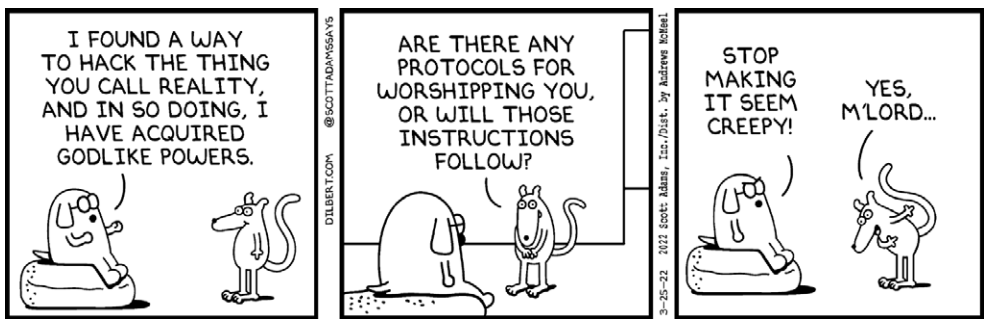
I FOUND A WAY TO HACK THE THING YOU CALL REALITY, AND IN SO DOING, I HAVE ACQUIRED GODLIKE POWERS.
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@SCOTTADAMSSAYS
ARE THERE ANY PROTOCOLS FOR WORSHIPPING YOU, OR WILL THOSE INSTRUCTIONS FOLLOW?
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STOP MAKING IT SEEM CREEPY!
YES, M'LORD...

GARFIELD

LIZ SAYS SHE'S NOT MAD AT ME
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SHE'S MAD AT ME, RIGHT?
FURIOUS
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FORT KNOX

MY DESK IS COVERED WITH POWDER, FRANK!!
OH THAT'S JUST PROTEIN POWDER.
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HOW DID IT GET ON MY DESK??
I BOUGHT TOO MUCH AND WAS PACKING SOME UP.
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SO WHERE ARE YOU STORING IT?
IN YOUR TWO TOP DRAWERS.

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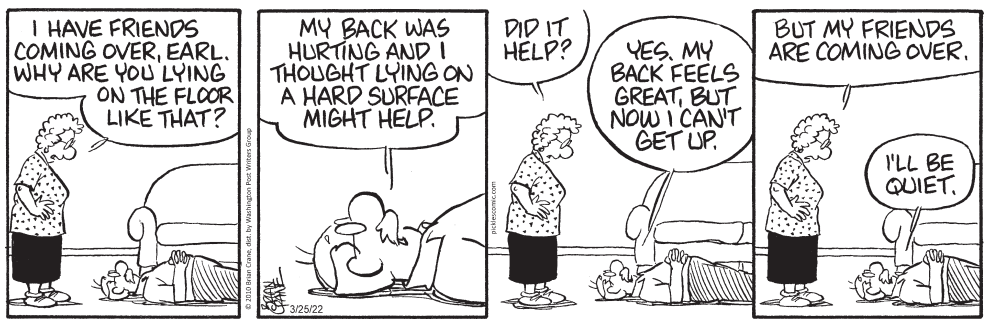
I HAVE FRIENDS COMING OVER, EARL. WHY ARE YOU LYING ON THE FLOOR LIKE THAT?
MY BACK WAS HURTING AND I THOUGHT LYING ON A HARD SURFACE MIGHT HELP.
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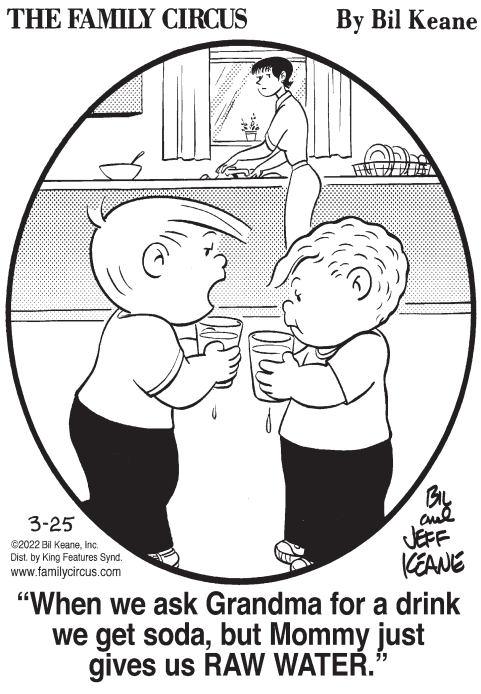
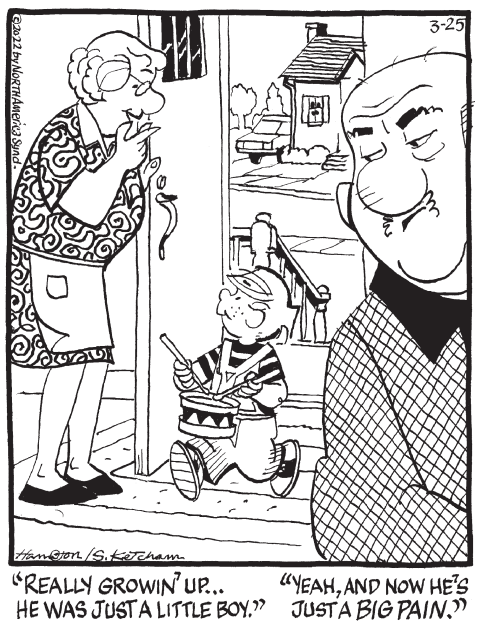
DID IT HELP?
YES. MY BACK FEELS GREAT, BUT NOW I CAN'T GET UP.
BUT MY FRIENDS ARE COMING OVER.
I'LL BE QUIET.

FAMILY CIRCUS



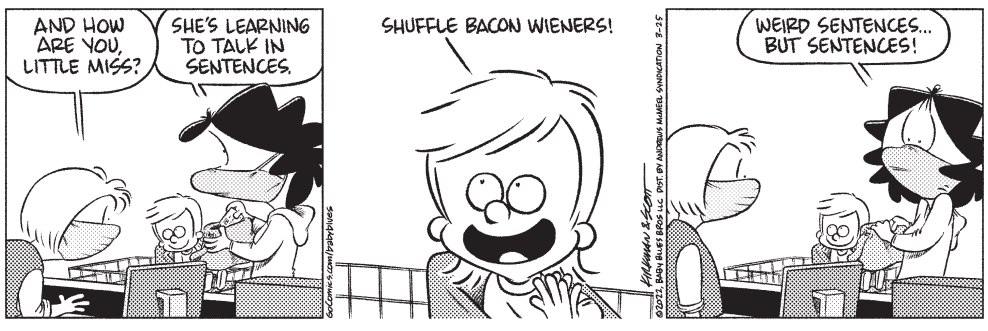
"When we ask Grandma for a drink we get soda, but Mommy just gives us RAW WATER."

DENNIS THE MENACE



"REALLY GROWIN' UP.. HE WAS JUST A LITTLE BOY." "YEAH, AND NOW HE'S JUST A BIG PAIN."

BABY BLUES


AND HOW ARE YOU, LITTLE MISS?
SHE'S LEARNING TO TALK IN SENTENCES.
SHUFFLE BACON WIENERS!
WEIRD SENTENCES... BUT SENTENCES!
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CURTIS

I LIKE LISTENIN' TO LATIN MUSIC !
ESPECIALLY THE FAST SONGS ! THEY SOUND LIKE THEY'RE HAVING A REALLY GOOD TIME
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BUT YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT THEY'RE SAYING
I LIKE LISTENIN' TO RAP AND HIP-HOP AND I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT THEY'RE SAYING

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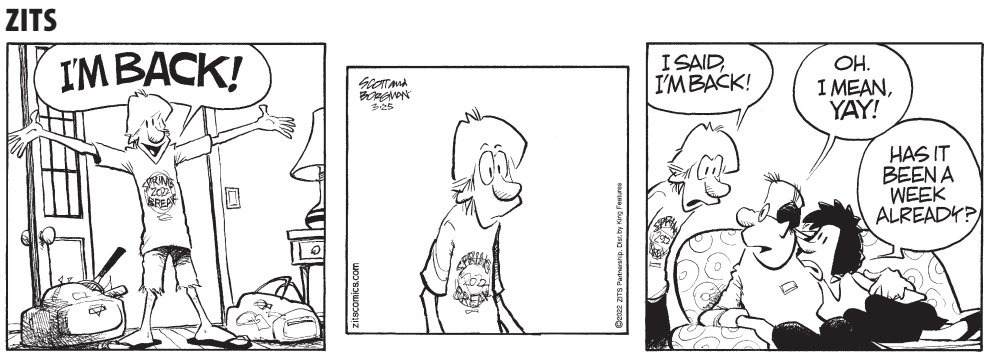


My best friend makes me feel like second choice

ANNIE **LANE**
DEAR ANNIE

Dear Annie: When our sons married and left home, my husband and I decided to make sure our sons and their families would never have to choose who to visit on any holiday. We also wanted to make sure that we got to see all of our extended family members during the holidays. So, we announced that we would always have our holiday get togethers at our house a week before or after the actual holiday.

So far, this has worked out great for everyone. Last year, we held Christmas on Dec. 18. All the travelers had the opportunity to have a Christmas celebration with their families at home, and our local family knew weeks ahead of time to ask for time off when needed. The grandchildren helped put together a buffet meal, and everyone showed up with gifts.

We also celebrate birthdays when it is convenient for all the family members. Sometimes, we even have a special Halloween with the grandkids so we can all eat candy together.

We hope that all our family members will remember that having a celebration on a specific date on the calendar is not important. What is important is that we get together and enjoy each other's company. — Stress-Free Holidays in Louisiana

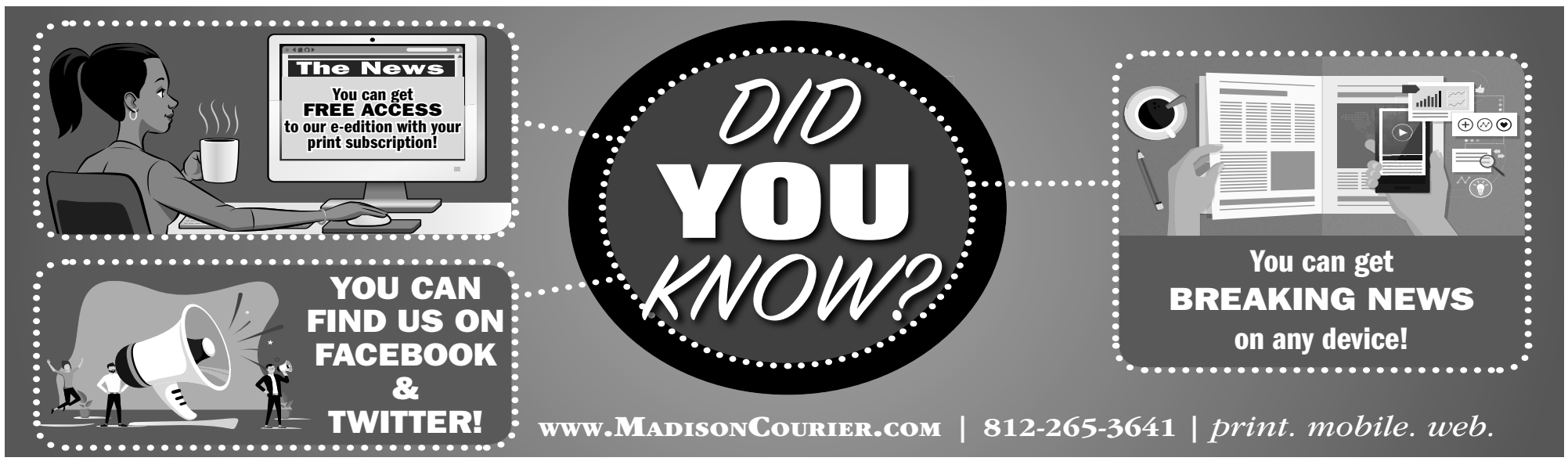
Dear Stress-Free Holidays in Louisiana: What a great reminder as we approach Easter next month: The true importance of a holiday lies not in its calendar date but in who we spend it with.

Dear Annie: I have had one of my friends since our freshman year of high school, and I have always considered her more of a sister than a friend. We have been through ups and downs and have always been there for each other. We have lived in separate cities since high school, but I recently moved to the same city she has lived in for the last couple of years. We now live within 10 minutes of each other, and I thought it would be great.

Well, was I wrong! She has never had a boyfriend, but she met this boy a couple of months ago who ended up moving in with her before they became officially boyfriend and girlfriend. I was so happy for her because she seemed so happy. But ever since she met him, I've felt like I'm always her second choice and she never has time for me. Even when I ask the simplest things, like, "Hey, you are in my neighborhood on a walk, why don't you stop by?" she flat out says no. I feel like she has drastically changed for the worse.

I understand that things change when people meet their significant others, but that shouldn't completely get in the way of a friendship that has been a thing for 10-plus years. Am I being overdramatic? Or overthinking this? I feel like I've lost a sister to a person who may not be around for the long run, and I can't keep hanging on, feeling like I'm her second choice, that she doesn't have time for me or like it's a problem for her to want to hang out with me. — A Concerned and Sad Friend

Dear Concerned and Sad Friend: A friendship of this nature can handle a serious conversation. Be direct with your friend about how much you've missed her. Lost in her first love, she might not realize her newfound relationship has an indirect impact on her friendships.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Flames lick at the collapsed entrance of Maguana's Unique Gifts and Flowers, 430 Main St., as firefighters battle a blaze that destroyed the flower shop and second-story apartments as well as other structures Tuesday morning near Court and Main streets in downtown Carrollton.

A sign promoting an upcoming 10th anniversary in business was about all that was left after an early morning fire at the Artful Gifts Etc. shop, 430 B Main St. in Carrollton. Firefighters battled a fire in the area on Monday but the blaze is suspected of rekindling overnight resulting in a multialarm fire that destroyed or damaged three businesses and several apartments.

Firefighters attack the fire with multiple aerial hoses.

FIRE

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overnight with both shops destroyed as well as several second-floor apartments in the 1891 structure that originally housed Siersdorfers' clothing store.

Firefighters from Carrollton, Ghent, Westside and Worthville volunteer fire departments battled Tuesday's blaze using aerial trucks and numerous ground hoses to blast water onto the fire as flames shot more than 100 feet into the air and billowing smoke could be seen from miles away. The fire was so hot and fully engulfed by the time firefighters arrived that an interior attack was not possible, especially as the roof burned through and floors started collapsing within.

Firefighters used three aerial trucks as well as ground crews to attack a huge fire at the corner of Court and Main streets on the Carroll County Courthouse Square on Tuesday morning in Carrollton.

"When it lit up, it lit up. It was already out the second story windows and out the roof when we pulled up," Carrollton Fire Chief Mike Terrell said.

Firefighters monitored their progress by using video shot by a drone to look down inside the structure and identify where to put water onto the huge pockets of flames throughout.

There were no injuries, but two businesses — Maguana's Unique Gifts and Decor and Artful Gifts Etc., located at 430 and 430B Main St., were both total losses while a third building, located at 422 Main St., sustained some damage but fire crews were hoping to save that structure.

Although the from facades of the buildings were still basically intact, once the fire was out and the smoke had cleared it became clear that the back walls had collapsed and the interiors were completely gutted.

Flames eat away at the roof of the historic Siersdorfers Building, 430 Main St. in downtown Carrollton, after an early morning fire destroyed at least two businesses and several apartments in the 1891 former clothing store at the corner of Court and Main streets.

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"The Drake is coming back for sure, but this is not gonna be the Drake of old. Great food, great music, and great friends hanging, that's the vision we have for it. Keep an eye on Mulberry Street this summer, it's all coming together now."

HOT TIP OF THE WEEK

If you love the music of the 70s and 80s but couldn't get tickets to the sold out Fleetwood Mac tribute show at Red Bike last weekend, you have another chance this Saturday. The Tom Petty tribute band, She Loves Horses, will be playing at Mad Paddle Brewery. Also of note on Saturday is Rusty Bladen at Thomas Family Winery. It's a rare chance to see Rusty right here in Madison in a very cozy and intimate venue. On Sunday at 3 p.m. the House of Jane Songwriter Series continues with the talented Israeli singer-songwriter Rami Feinstein. Space is very limited for these House of Jane shows, so go to MadisonTravelCompany.com to get your tickets before they are gone.

Charlie Rohlfing is a retired advertising man and partner in The Red Bicycle Hall music venue. Look for his distinctive fedora bobbing above the crowd, anywhere live local music is happening.

THIS WEEK IN MUSIC

Thursday, March 24

Central Hotel — Karaoke

Friday, March 25

Brown Gym — Last Minute Band (Senior Citizens dance 6:30 p.m.)

Mad Paddle — Matthew Williams

Central Hotel — Jordan Tyler

American Legion — Madhouse Moxie

Riverboat Inn — Joe & Deano

Red Bicycle Hall — Them Dirty Roses

Saturday, March 26

Mad Paddle — She Loves Horses

Central Hotel — Old Man River

Riverboat Inn — Joe & Deano

Off-Broadway Tavern — Robby Cox

Thomas Family Winery — Rusty Bladen

VFW — Memphis Reigns (open to public)

Sunday, March 27

House of Jane — Rami Feinstein (3 p.m.)

Tuesday, March 30

Off-Broadway Taproom — Open Mic Night

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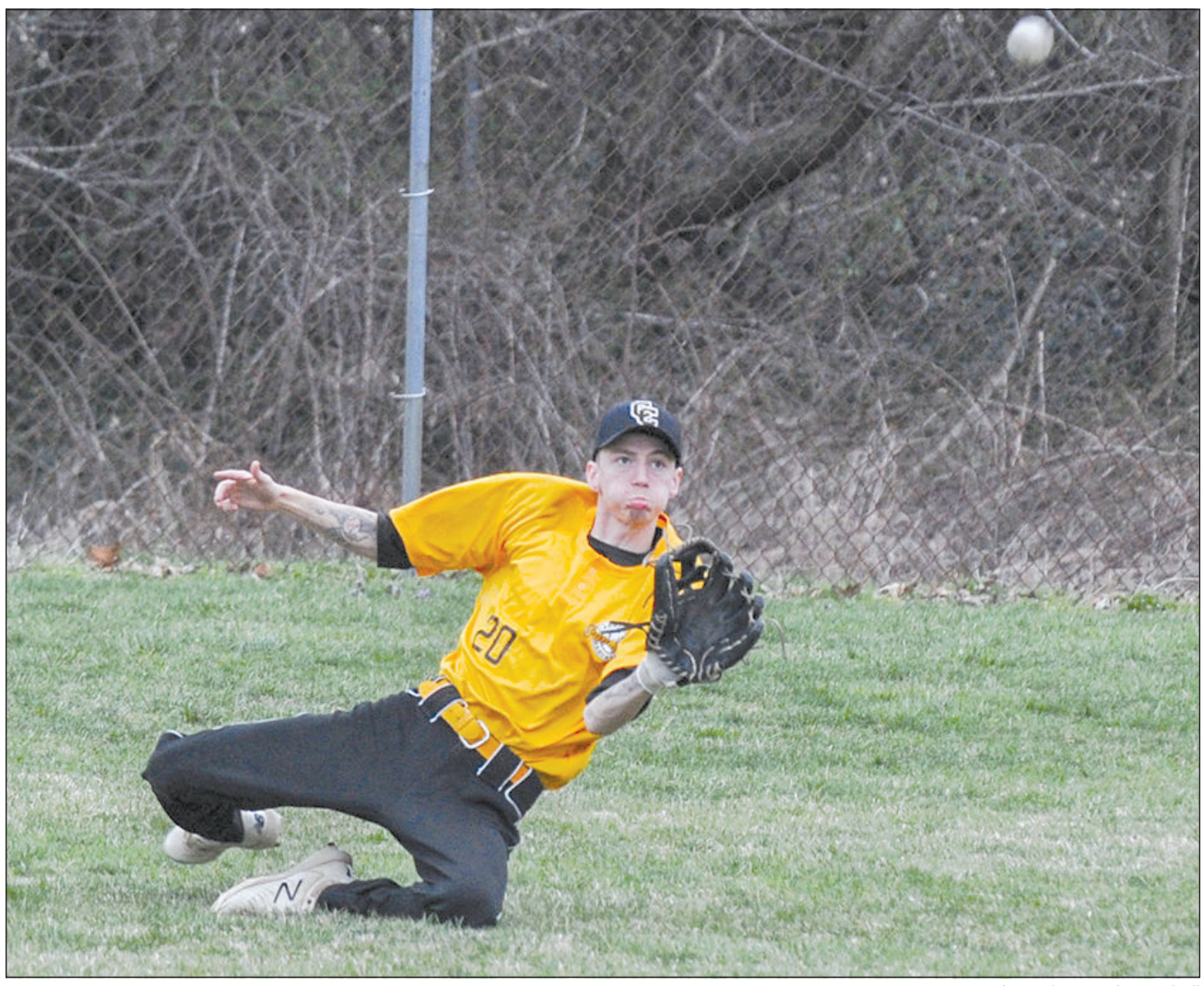


Photos by David Campbell

Carroll County's Logan Gilbert tracks a fly ball during the Panthers' loss to Conner on Tuesday in Carrollton.

Carroll has rough time in losses to Collins, Conner

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Carroll County baseball ended up on the wrong side of two lopsided losses against strong competition in baseball this week.

The Panthers traveled to undefeated and defending regional champion Collins on Monday in Shelbyville, Kentucky, and lost 10-0 in five innings before falling 11-1 at home to Conner in five innings on Tuesday.

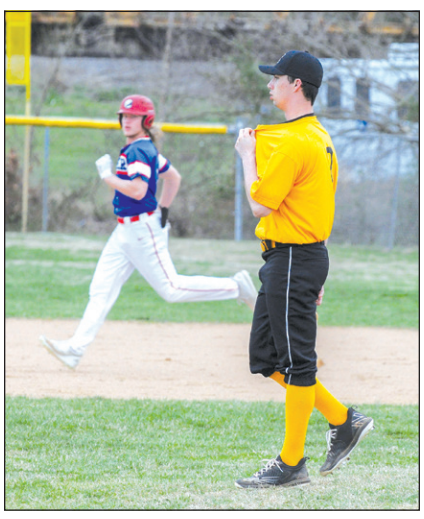
After scoring one run in the bottom of the first inning, Collins pushed across six in the bottom of the second to turn the game into a rout. The Titans then added three runs in the third and closed out the shortened win.

Only one Carroll runner advanced past first base and it was the first batter of the game. Andrew Shaw led off the first with an infield single, advanced to second on a ground out and went to third on another ground out where he was then stranded.

Along with Shaw, Luke Staley, Branon Battaglia and Logan Gilbert each had singles for Carroll. Jaxon Hewitt started on the mound and took the loss after allowing six earned runs on nine hits in three innings with two strikeouts and four walks.

Another big inning doomed Carroll County in the loss to Conner on Tuesday. The Cougars scored four runs in the top of the second inning then pushed seven across in the fourth to blow open the game.

Carroll's lone run came in the bottom of the second when Landon Isaacs hammered his first home run of the season.



Conner's Jackson Bucks (background) looks at Carroll County pitcher Landon Isaacs while trotting the basepaths after homering during the Cougars' win on Tuesday evening in Carrollton.

Isaacs also started on the mound and took the loss after giving up five earned runs on five hits in three and two-thirds innings. He struck out three and walked two.

Braden Stephenson also singled for the Panthers for the team's only other hit.

Carroll, now 1-3 on the season, travels to Western Hills today and heads to Grant County on Saturday.

TRIMBLE OPENS WITH TIE

Trimble County battled Waggoner to a 6-6 tie in the Raiders' baseball season opener on Monday in Louisville.

Trimble took a 2-0 lead in the top of the first inning when Dylan Penick belted an RBI double and later scored on a bases loaded walk.

Waggoner answered with five runs in the bottom of the first to take the lead but Trimble came back with three runs in the top of the third to tie the score. Penick again started the rally by drawing a walk, James Thomas Wilcoxson singled and Brayden Wilson drove in both with a line drive single to center. Wilson then scored on Bradlee Stethen single to tie the game.

Both teams scored a run in the sixth inning — Trimble on another RBI single by Penick and Waggoner on a wild pitch — and the game was then called due to darkness.

Dylan Penick finished the night 4-for-4 with a double, two RBIs and a run scored while Ethan Horn was 3-for-4 with two doubles, a triple and a run scored. Charlie Liter and Dalton Penick each added singles for the Raiders.

Dylan Penick also started on the mound and allowed five earned runs on four hits in three innings with six strikeouts and six walks. Dalton Penick worked the final three innings and struck out six while walking one and giving up one run and two hits.

Trimble heads to Spencer County today and travels to Walton-Verona on Friday. The Raiders then travel to Henry County on Tuesday.

Ginn leads Trimble softball to rout

BY THE COURIER STAFF

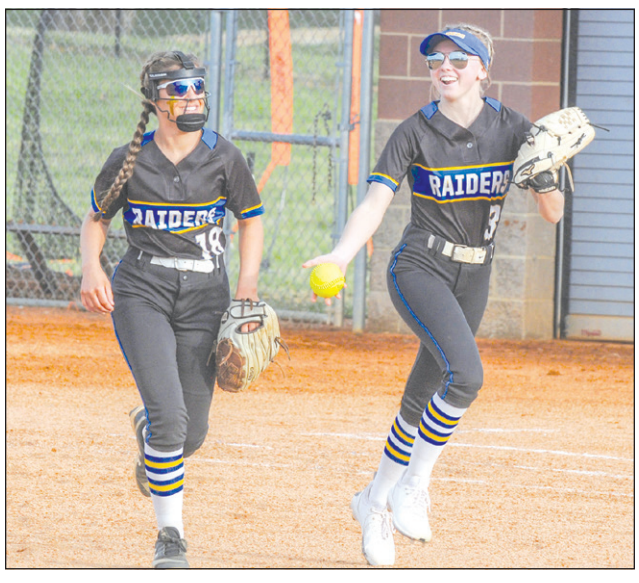
Emma Ginn collected four hits and drove in four runs as Trimble County pounded Walton-Verona 14-4 in softball at home on Monday.

Ginn, a junior who has committed to Northern Kentucky University, had a triple and three doubles while scoring three runs in the game.

Jocie Stucker had two hits and drove in three runs and Shelby Wright had two hits and two RBIs for the Raiders.

Walton-Verona opened the game with two runs in the top of the first but Trimble answered in the bottom half of the first when Ginn doubled in Kaylee Payton. The Raiders added two more runs in the third on another RBI double by Ginn and an RBI single by Stucker to take a 3-2 lead.

Walton scored two runs in the fourth to take a one-run lead but Trimble then answered in a big way, pounding out 10 runs in the fifth inning to blow open the game. Wright had an RBI single, Stucker a two-run double, McKenna Ritchie an RBI double. Jaelynn Holbrook a two-run triple, Ciara Gilley an RBI single, and Ginn a two-run triple in the inning.



David Campbell

Trimble County's Maddie Nixon (3) and Shelby Wright (18) are all smiles coming off the field after a quick inning during the Raiders' win over Walton-Verona on Monday in Bedford.

Ritchie went all six innings in the circle for Trimble to get the win. She allowed two earned runs on four hits with five strikeouts and five walks.

Trimble then traveled to Pleasure Ridge Park on Tuesday and despite collecting nine hits suffered a 9-1 loss.

The Raiders got their only run in the fifth inning when Maddie Nixon reached on an error and advanced to second on Ginn's single.

Stucker then brought her home with a single to left.

Ritchie was 3-for-3 at the plate to lead Trimble while Ginn finally made an out but still went 2-for-4.

Stucker was 2-for-3 while Payton and Gilley each had hits.

Ritchie (1-2) took the loss after giving up four earned runs on six hits in $4^1/_3$ innings. She had two strikeouts and walked two.

Trimble returns to action on Friday when it hosts North Oldham. The Raiders then head to Ludlow on Saturday and to Henry County on Tuesday.

LOCAL SPORTS CALENDAR

Thursday, March 24

BASEBALL

Trimble Co. at Spencer Co., 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. at Western Hills, 6 p.m.

TENNIS

Hanover men host Midway, 3:30 p.m.

Friday, March 25

BASEBALL

Trimble Co. at Walton-Verona, 7:30 p.m,

SOFTBALL

Hanover hosts Denison (DH), 1 p.m.
Trimble Co. hosts North Oldham, 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. hosts Williamstown, 6 p.m.

TENNIS

Hanover women host Indiana Southeast, 4 p.m.

Saturday, March 26

BASEBALL

Carroll Co. at Grant Co., noon
Hanover hosts Ohio Wesleyan, 2 pm.

GOLF

Hanover men, Great Lakes Intercollegiate at Terre Haute, TBA

LACROSSE

Hanover men at Adrian, noon

SOFTBALL

Trimble Co. vs. Ludlow/Bracken Co. at Ludlow, 11 a.m./3 p.m.

TENNIS

Hanover men host Transylvania, noon

TRACK & FIELD

Trimble Co. at Oldham Co., TBA
Hanover, Hanover Invitational, 11 a.m.

Purdue flexing muscles as it prepares for NCAA Sweet 16

BY STEVE MEGARGEE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Purdue is using its extraordinary size to push around opponents, dominate the boards and get to the free-throw line over and over as it seeks its first Final Four berth in over four decades.

The Boilermakers' frontcourt combination of 7-foot-4 Zach Edey and 6-foot-10 Trevion Williams causes matchup issues for just about any team in the country. Purdue has outrebounded its first two NCAA Tournament foes 83-61 and has outscored them 60-13 from the foul line.

It's pretty much going the way Williams predicted.

"Every game's going to be physical," Williams said before the Boilermakers' first-round victory over Yale. "I just think if we go in and embrace the physicality of the game, we'll be fine. Just use our size advantage as best as possible, being smart, just being disciplined."

That sets up an interesting matchup Friday when the third-seeded Boilermakers (29-7) meet the tournament's biggest surprise in No. 15 seed Saint Peter's (21-11). Saint Peter's features 6-7 forward KC Ndefo, who led the nation in blocks last season and ranks second among all active Division I players in career blocks.

Saint Peter's coach Shaheen Holloway offered the quote of the tournament so far when he was asked after a second-round victory over Murray State how his players stayed calm when the Racers tried pushing them around.

"I got guys from New Jersey and New York City," Holloway replied. "You think we're scared of anything? You think we're worried about guys trying to muscle us and tough us out? We do that. That's who we are."

Through the first two rounds, Purdue has 18 more free throws made and 29 more attempted than any other team in the NCAA Tournament. The Boilermakers' plus-11 rebound margin ranks behind only Kansas and North Carolina among teams in the Sweet 16.

Purdue's prowess in the paint has provided an effective complement to Associated Press All-America second-team guard Jaden Ivey, who is averaging 20 points through the first two rounds.

The Boilermakers went 33 of 46 from the free-throw line Sunday in an 81-71 victory over Texas. That marked the most free-throw attempts and makes Purdue had posted in a single game since 2002, when the Boilermakers went 35 of 46 from the line in an 84-75 triumph over Illinois.

"We lived at the free-throw line," Purdue coach Matt Painter said.

Edey has drawn seven fouls in each of Purdue's last two games and is 15 of 22 on free throws. He has more free-throw attempts than anyone remaining in this tournament. And he's done all that while playing just 17 minutes per game.

The tag-team substitution approach Purdue uses with Edey and Williams enables both to stay fresh. Edey has averaged 13.5 points and 9.5 rebounds thus far in the tournament. Williams has played 21 ½ minutes per game and matched a season high by scoring 22 points against Texas.

"I kind of took my time and got to my move, just doing what I do best, getting to my jump hook," Williams said afterward. "I kept it simple more than anything."

Painter has shown throughout his Purdue tenure that he can produce quality frontcourt players of various sizes.

The Boilermakers reached a regional final in 2019 with a lineup that included 7-3 center Matt Haarms.

JaJuan Johnson was 6-10 and a lean 221 pounds but earned Associated Press All-America first-team honors in 2011. Caleb Swanigan, who's 6-9, was a first-team All-America selection in 2017.

"A part of Purdue's identity is their size," Texas coach Chris Beard said after his team's loss to the Boilermakers. "Coach Painter's teams always seem to have some of the biggest players in college basketball."

None of those other big men ever reached a Final Four, something that has eluded Purdue since 1980, when the Boilermakers were led by consensus All-America center and No. 1 overall draft pick Joe Barry Carroll.

Women's NCAA Sweet 16 field set; all 4 No. 1s are in

BY DOUG FEINBERG
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

After a wild opening weekend of the women's NCAA Tournament, the Sweet 16 field features a mixture of regulars that includes all four No. 1 seeds — South Carolina, Louisville, N.C. State and Stanford — as well as newcomers South Dakota and Creighton.

While it was expected that the four No. 1s would advance to the regional semifinals, the two No. 10 seeds definitely were a surprise to many. In all, eight double-digit seeds won over the weekend, tying for the most all-time in the history of the tournament.

Princeton and Belmont did their best to join the double-digit party in the regional semifinals, but both fell short, losing to Indiana and Tennessee by a combined four points.

GREENSBORO REGION

Friday-Sunday

No. 10 seed Creighton will look to keep its run going as it faces No. 3 seed Iowa State. The Bluejays went to Iowa and shocked the sellout crowd of over 14,000 fans with a two-point win over the favored Hawkeyes. Many of the Creighton players are familiar with the Cyclones, including Iowa State star Ashley Joens, so the Bluejays shouldn't be phased.

This is the sixth trip to the regional semifinals for the Cyclones, but their first since 2010.

"I don't know that I've ever wanted something professionally more in my life than to see these guys have that opportunity," Iowa State coach Bill Fennelly said. "Sometimes in life, you earn things and you get it. Well, this group earned it and they got it."

Overall No. 1 seed South Carolina and Aliyah Boston will face North Carolina. The Gamecocks have been playing stellar defense in the first two games of the tournament, holding Howard to a NCAA record-low 21 points and then following that up by only allowing Miami to score 33 in the second round.

The Tar Heels took it right to Arizona and advanced to their first Sweet 16 since 2015.

SPOKANE REGION

Friday-Sunday

It will be a homecoming for Lexie and Lacie Hull when top-seeded Stanford heads to Spokane to face fourth-seeded Maryland. The Cardinal's senior twins will be key to the defending champions advancing.

The two teams met in the Bahamas over Thanksgiving weekend with Stanford coming away with a 19-point win. The Terrapins were short-handed for that game, missing a few starters and only having seven players available.

Now that they're healthy, coach Brenda Frese's squad has looked spectacular in the first two games of the tournament, averaging 95.5 points in the two wins.

Second-seeded Texas will face No. 6 Ohio State, which knocked off LSU. The Longhorns have looked strong in their first two games.

BRIDGEPORT REGION

Saturday-Monday

North Carolina State is one of the deepest teams in the tournament and reached the Sweet 16 for the fourth straight time. Led by second-team All-American Elissa Cunane, the Wolfpack will face Notre Dame which ran past Oklahoma. The Wolfpack will have a chance to avenge their lone Atlantic Coast Conference loss this season. They went 20-1 against league foes, including a three-game run to a third straight ACC Tournament title. The Fighting Irish won 69-66 at home on Feb. 1 in the Wolfpack's last loss this season.

The other game will pit Indiana against UConn. The Huskies are in the Sweet 16 for a record 28 straight time. They've won their last 15 straight regional semifinal games and have owned the Big Ten lately, winning 25 consecutive games against that conference.

This will be the first meeting between the two schools.

WICHITA REGION

Saturday-Monday

South Dakota is making its first appearance in the Sweet 16 after knocking off second-seeded Baylor in one of the biggest shockers of the tournament. The 10th-seeded Coyotes will face Michigan, which is playing in its second consecutive Sweet 16.

"We cannot look past anyone or take anyone for granted. The team that we're going to play is an unbelievable team," Michigan coach Kim Barnes Arico said. "They showed that last night in the way that they were able to defend Baylor. So it should be an exciting game, but experience always helps. Experience is the best teacher. We talk about that all the time."

The other regional semifinal will pit top seed Louisville against four-seed Tennessee. The Cardinals pulled away in the second half to beat Gonzaga in the second round while the Lady Vols blew a 14-point lead against Belmont before freshman Sara Puckett hit a go-ahead 3-pointer from the corner with 17.5 seconds left to get the win.

Louisville is back in the Sweet 16 for the eighth time since 2013 while Tennessee is there for the 35th time in the 40 NCAA Tournaments, but first since 2016.

"This has been an amazing, amazing journey," Tennessee coach Kellie Harper said. "And they have said it all year. They have said this is a special team, and this team can do some special things in March. Here we are."

AP Photo/Michael Conroy

Indiana guard Ali Patberg (14) celebrates on the floor with guard Nicole Cardano-Hillary (4) after being fouled on a shot by Princeton in the first half of a game in the second round of the NCAA tournament Monday in Bloomington, Ind.

Berger's late layup sends Indiana past Princeton 56-55

BY MICHAEL MAROT
ASSOCIATED PRESS

BLOOMINGTON — Indiana guard Grace Berger worked too hard for too long to watch it everything slip away Monday night at home.

So the senior guard did what she does best — took the ball, put her head down and drove to the basket for the tiebreaking layup with 28.2 seconds as the loud, large crowd roared.

A few minutes later, after Ali Patberg's steal and Aleksa Gulbe's free throws closed out the 56-55 second-round win over 11th-seeded Princeton and the Hoosiers second straight Sweet 16 trip, the players jogged into the student section and celebrated with their fans.

"I asked coach (Teri Moren) if we could go thank them and when I got there, I said 'Screw it, I'm just going up there with them," said Mackenzie Holmes, who led the Hoosiers players up the steps. "I just wanted them to know we appreciated them being here and thank them for showing up."

It was a fitting home finale for so many seniors who returned for one more NCAA Tournament run.

After hearing the band play the school's alma mater, Indiana's players lifted Moren into the air and later doused her with liquid, prompting her to bring a towel to the postgame news conference.

The party was well-deserved. Berger finished with 15 points and Nicole Cardano-Hillary had 12 as the Hoosiers (24-8) tied the school record for single-season victories in front of the third-lagest crowd in school history. And Berger and Patberg added win No. 90 to their school record.

"Of course we want her to go make the play for us and she did," Moren said. "You've been around sports and you know big time players make big time plays and that's exactly what Grace did for us today."

The Hoosiers advanced on a night Princeton (25-5) was trying to post a tourney record ninth victory by a double-digit seed. Instead, the Tigers had their 18-game winning streak snapped.

The Hoosiers (24-8) have won five of their last six and swept the first two NCAA Tournament games they've ever hosted. Third-seeded Indiana now faces either second-seeded UConn or seventh-seeded UCF on Saturday in Bridgeport, Connecticut.

The Hoosiers advanced on a night Princeton (25-5) was trying to post a tourney record ninth victory by a double-digit seed. Instead, the Tigers had their 18-game winning streak snapped while shooting 32.8% from the field and three of its top players got into early foul trouble.

Julia Cunningham and Grace Stone each scored 13 to lead Princeton. Ivy League player of the year Abby Meyers had 11 points, going just 4 of 15 from the field and missing her first six 3-point attempts before making the last one as the buzzer sounded.

Princeton: The Tigers already have one of the nation's stingiest defenses and a balanced, disciplined offense. It helped them beat Southeastern Conference tourney champ Kentucky on Saturday and gave the Big Ten tourney runner-up everything it could handle Monday. And the future looks bright with Meyers the only key player who is a senior.

Indiana: The Hoosiers survived, and they needed all the energy the crowd could muster. But after making their first Elite Eight run last year, Indiana wasn't going to let anyone deter it from making a Sweet 16 run.

STAT PACK

Princeton: Mitchell had 15 rebounds and the Tigers had a 10-1 rebounding edge on the offensive end. ... Kaitlyn Chen scored 10 points.

Indiana: Holmes had 10 points and eight rebounds. ... Berger also had seven rebounds. ... Patberg finished with six points, three assists and the one steal in her home finale.

UP NEXT

Indiana faces second-seeded UConn on Saturday in Bridgeport, Connecticut.

Top colleges accused of violating rights of Black athletes

BY RALPH D. RUSSO
AP COLLEGE SPORTS WRITER

A group that advocates for college athletes has filed a federal complaint that claims NCAA Division I schools are violating the civil rights of Black basketball players and major college football players by prohibiting compensation.

The National College Players Association announced Tuesday it had submitted a complaint to the Office for Civil Rights in the Education Department. The NCPA says NCAA rules prohibiting schools from compensating athletes disproportionately impacts Black students.

"I believe it's important to first acknowledge the reality of the business that is college football," Stanford football player Elijah Higgins said in a statement through the NCPA.

Citing a 2018 study by the University of Southern California's Race and Equity Center, the complaint said "Black men were 2.4% of undergraduate students enrolled at the 65 (Power Five conference) universities, but comprised 55% of football teams and 56% of men's basketball teams on those campuses."

"This multibillion college sports enterprise imposes discriminatory practices that disproportionately harms Black athletes, while predominantly white coaches and administrators make millions of dollars," said NCPA Executive Director Ramogi Huma, a former UCLA football player. "College athletes throughout predominantly white sports receive fair market compensation, but athletes in the only predominantly Black sports do not."

The NCAA Division I men's basketball tournament generates more than $800 million in revenue for the association, most of which is distributed to 358 schools that compete at that level.

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— Ramogi Huma
NCPA executive director

The College Football Playoff, which operates outside the NCAA, is worth more than $470 million annually to the 10 conferences that run it, with the majority of that money going to the Power Five — the Atlantic Coast, Big Ten, Big 12, Pac-12 and Southeastern conferences.

The NCPA claims that relative to the revenue generated by their sports, Division I football players and men's and women's basketball players have been denied tens of thousands of dollars in compensation annually. The group has also pushed for college athletes to receive employee status, a step university officials largely oppose.

The complaint also cites Supreme Court Justice Brett Kavanaugh's concurring opinion in last year's Alston case, in which the high court ruled unanimously to uphold a lower court's decision that found the NCAA in violation of antitrust law.

The court said the NCAA and college conferences could not cap benefits related to education that schools can offer to athletes.

"Nowhere else in America can businesses get away with agreeing not to pay their workers a fair market rate on the theory that their product is defined by not paying their workers a fair market rate," Kavanaugh wrote.

COURIERAREA SPORTS SHORTS

BY THE COURIER STAFF

• Hanover College's Zaleeya Martin has been named Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference Women's Track Athlete of the Week.

Martin, a junior from Shelbyville, led the Panthers with wins in the 100- and 200-meter dashes at Rose-Hulman. Her winning time of 12.53 seconds in the 100 dash is the 23rd fastest among NCAA Division III athletes thus far this season.

• Hanover College's Delaney Benner has been named Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference Women's Lacrosse Defensive Player of the Week.

Benner, a senior from Indianapolis, led the Panthers to a 2-0 week as she picked up wins against Dallas and Kalamazoo. In the team's overtime thriller with Kalamazoo, Benner charted a game-high 12 saves.

— Hanover Parks Department has youth baseball and softball forms available for the upcoming 2022 season for area boys and girls ages 4-12.

Forms have been delivered to area schools and will also be available in the park office at the Community Center at Hanover Park, as well as at Hanover Town Hall and at Jendy's Pizzeria, The Boneyard Grill and Champs Sports and Corporate Apparel.

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The Hanover Parks department is also looking for coaches.

For more information, contact Scott Davidson at 812-292-4282 or 812-806-1042.

Collins is latest prize in Bengals' O-line rebuild

BY MITCH STACY
ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — The Cincinnati Bengals signed a third free-agent lineman to shore up an offensive line that has struggled to protect quarterback Joe Burrow.

The Bengals got their new right tackle on Sunday, signing former Dallas Cowboy La'el Collins to a three-year contract. Last week they inked free agents Ted Karras, likely to replace the released Trey Hopkins at center, and guard Alex Cappa as the unit gets an overhaul.

"We have three new guys that know how to set the tone," said Frank Pollack, the Bengals' offensive line coach. "Pros that know how to prepare and practice."

According to the Bengals' website, Collins said he let Burrow know that "your new bodyguard is in town."

The 28-year-old Collins has played for the Cowboys for all of his six years in the league. He missed five games last year because of a violation of the league's substance abuse policy but allowed just two sacks in 12 games with 10 starts. Salary cap issues — he was owed $30 million over three years — made him an odd man out with the Cowboys.

"There are good fits and perfect fits," Collins said. "I felt like this was the perfect fit from the jump."

In his first three seasons in the league, Collins played under Pollack at Dallas.

"Love him to death. He definitely fits the mold of a glass eater," Pollack said last week. "He is nasty, and he was a lot of fun to coach."

The respect is mutual.

"He's the best offensive line coach I've been around since I've been in the NFL, hands down," Collins said. "And getting back to work with him. And also the players on this team you see and look at the guys around that helped bring this team to where it is. What other team would you want to be part of?"

Burrow was battered behind one of the leakiest offensive lines in the league last season. Including the playoffs and Super Bowl, Burrow was sacked more than 70 times, injuring his right knee, suffering a throat contusion and a dislocated pinky finger, among other bumps and bruises.

Still, the quarterback led the Bengals to their first Super Bowl appearance in 33 years. He was sacked a Super Bowl record-tying seven times in Cincinnati's 23-20 loss to the Los Angeles Rams.

Riley Reiff, who was signed by the Bengals to a one-year contract last year to play right tackle, likely won't be re-signed. Reiff missed the last three regular-season games of 2021 and the postseason with an ankle injury.

Left tackle Jonah Williams and guard Jackson Carman are likely candidates to round out the reconstituted line.

The Bengals last week also signed free-agent tight end Hayden Hurst to a one-year contract following the departure of C.J. Uzomah, who signed with the New York Jets. Cincinnati also re-signed defensive tackle B.J. Hill, cornerback Eli Apple, backup quarterback Brandon Allen, receiver Mike D. Thomas, safety Michael J. Thomas, defensive tackle Josh Tupou and long-snapper Clark Harris.

Moves on Monday included the release of cornerback Trae Waynes, who was injured during most of his two seasons with the Bengals, and the re-signing of wide receiver Trenton Irwin to a one-year contract.

India, Stephenson need to carry more of the load for Reds

BY GARY SCHATZ
ASSOCIATED PRESS

GOODYEAR, Ariz. — Jonathan India exceeded expectations by winning the Reds' second base job and then National League Rookie of the Year.

Rookie Tyler Stephenson last season showed that he could be Cincinnati's everyday catcher.

Both will try to avoid a sophomore letdown while being asked to carry more of the load in the Reds offense in 2022.

After being stuck at the alternate site during the pandemic-shortened 2020 season, India came to camp in 2021 to prove himself.

He won the starting job at second base in spring training while providing the Reds' offense with a reliable-lead off hitter.

On May 8, India's batting average dipped to a season-low .208. But then he took off, flirting with the .300 mark and showing surprising power with 21 home runs after hitting 17 in two minor league seasons.

He finished .269/.376/.409 with 57 extra base hits and a team-leading 12 stolen bases.

The 25-year-old India knows he has much more work to do.

"I don't consider myself established yet," he said. "I want to improve as a player. I have one year under my belt. I still have to prove myself. All I can do is get better at my game.

"I want to be more consistent at the plate and improve my stolen bases," said India, who was the seventh overall pick in the 2018 draft out of the University of Florida. "I just need to work and get better every day. I will pick a routine and stick to it."

Stephenson also found success in his first full season.

A first-round draft pick in 2015, he made his major league debut in 2020, hitting a home run in his first at-bat. Last spring he came to camp trying to stick as a backup catcher behind Tucker Barnhart.

Stephenson not only filled that role, he established himself as a middle-of-the-lineup hitter to the point that the Reds played him at first base to get his bat in the lineup, spelling Joey Votto.

His batted .286 with 21 doubles and 10 homers and instilled so much confidence that the Reds traded Barnhart to the Detroit Tigers.

"I am working on the catching position," Stephenson said. "I'm working on my catching stance and getting in better position. Other than that, I'm just trying to have fun and make some adjustments, nothing major."

He wants to reward the Reds for the confidence in him.

"I want to go out there and play as much as I can," Stephenson said. "Whatever that is, first base, DH, I don't care. As long as I can play a lot, I'm fine with that."

His time behind Barnhart, who won two Gold Gloves, enabled his quick development.

"I learned so much from Tuck," the 25-year-old Stephenson said. "He taught me how to be a professional. He came in to work every day. I learned so much about how to catch, how to be a professional."

SS Barrero, starter Castillo among injured Reds

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

GOODYEAR, Ariz. — Cincinnati Reds shortstop José Barrero needs hand surgery and will be sidelined for about six weeks, manager David Bell said Tuesday.

Seen as the Reds' shortstop of the future, the 23-year-old Barrero was scheduled to have hook hamate surgery Tuesday in Scottsdale, Arizona.

Kyle Farmer is the presumptive everyday shortstop for the Reds but Barrero was expected to see more playing time this season.

Also Tuesday, Bell said right-hander Luis Castillo may miss his first start of the regular season with shoulder soreness. He was expected to start long-tossing on Tuesday.

A lingering shoulder injury will keep right-hander Justin Dunn sidelined for the next couple months. The 26-year-old Dunn came to the Reds in the trade that sent All-Star Jesse Winker and slugger Eugenio Suárez to the Mariners.

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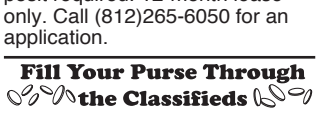

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CAUSE NO.:39C01-2202-MF-000098
U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
Plaintiff,
vs.
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF JAMES A. AUGUSTIN, DECEASED AND
OCCUPANT(S) OF 201 SHADY NOOK, HANOVER, IN 47243,
Defendants.
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Notice is hereby given that the Jefferson County, Indiana, Board of Zoning Appeals will meet Tuesday, April 5, 2022 at 5:00 o'clock, P.M., at the Surveyor's Office, 315 Jefferson St., Courthouse Annex Bldg., Madison, Indiana. The purpose of the meeting is hear an application for variance from developmental standards submitted by Leonard Collins, III, 7506 E Riverside Dr., Madison, IN; also an application for variance from developmental standards submitted by Mark & Debbie Bear, 5742 E Pleasant Ridge Rd., Madison, IN; also an application for conditional use #553 Gasoline Service Stations submitted by Chelsea General Store -TNP Foodmart, LLC, Prakashsinh Parmar, 5975 SR 62, Lexington, IN; also an application for variance from developmental standards submitted by Chelsea General Store -TNP Foodmart, LLC, Prakashsinh Parmar, 5975 SR 62, Lexington, IN; and tabled application for conditional use #722 Sports Assembly and #749 Other recreation, including camping and picnic areas submitted by Tim Bowman at 8000+ E Breezy Ridge Rd., Madison, IN and 9352 NE Prong Rd., Madison, IN and 9250 NE Prong Rd., Madison, IN and 8520 NE Prong Rd., Madison, IN and 8350+ NE Prong Rd, Madison, IN. The Board of Zoning Appeals may consider any other business that comes before it at this date and time. BY ORDER OF THE JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA, BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS. By: Lynette M. Anderson, Secretary, Jefferson County Board of Zoning Appeals hspaxlp

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JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA PLAN COMMISSION
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11 WHAS	11	4	News	ABC	ET	Inside	Station 19 (N)		Grey's Anatomy		(:01) Big Sky (N)		News
15 WKPC	13		KY Life	News	PBS NewsHour		Antiques		Doc Martin		Father Brown		Legis.
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	J'pardy!	MasterChef (N)		Kat	Flatch	FOX19		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	Final	2022 NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament					NCAA Basketball Trnt.			
34 WBKI	7	7	Mod	Last	Sheldon	Theory	Walker "Nudge"		Legacies		Theory	Sheldon	Two
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	Judge	Judge	MasterChef (N)		Kat	Flatch	WDRB News		News
A&E	28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		After		(:02) Nightwatch		First 48
AMC	29	26	(5:30) ★★★ "Die Hard 2" (1990)				★★★ "Die Hard With a Vengeance" (1995)						"Live
COM	45	59	South	South	South	(:45) South Park		South	South	South	South	South	South
DISC	31	38	BattleBots (N)		BattleBots (N)		BattleBots "8 Down, 8 to Go" (N)				(:04) BattleBots		Battle
DISN	25	29	Lady	Lady	Big City	Big City	Big City	Big City	Bizaard	Bizaard	Big City	Big City	Lady
ESPN	32	44	SportsCenter (N)		NHL Hockey: Stars at Hurricanes					SportsCenter (N)			SportC
FREE	18	40	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	grown-	grown-	700
FX	40	28	"Hobbs"		★★★ "Black Panther" (2018) Chadwick Boseman.						Atlanta		Atlanta
HBO	201	17	Winning Time		Winning Time		★★★ "King Richard" (2021) Will Smith.					The Gilded Age	
MAX	270	73	"The	(:16) ★★★ "Freaky"			★★ "Universal Soldier"			(:45) ★★ "Escape Plan" (2013)			
PARMT	35	41	Two	Two	★★★ "Star Trek" (2009) Chris Pine.						★★★ "Point Break"		
SHOW	221	16	"Sup	(:20) ★★ "Queenpins"			(:15) "Mainstream" (2020)				Super Pumped		Desus
TMC	233	74	"Fruit	(:25) "Holler" (2020)			★★★★ "The Piano" (1993)				★★★ "Sophie's Choice"		
TNT	27	43	(5:15) "Star Wars: A New Hope"				★★★ "Ready Player One" (2018) Tye Sheridan.						"Read
USA	26	33	Law & Order		9-1-1 (DVS)		9-1-1 (DVS)		9-1-1 (DVS)		9-1-1 "Triggers"		Law-
WGN-A	20	20	Donlon Report		On Balance		Marni Hughes		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		News

FRIDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
3 WAVE	6	2	News	NBC	News	News	The Blacklist (N)		Dateline NBC (N)				News
4 WTTV	4		News	CBS	2022 NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament					NCAA Basketball Trnt.			
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC	WLWT	Holly	The Blacklist (N)		Dateline NBC (N)				News
8 WISH	12		News 8 at 6PM		Inside	ET	Charmed (N)		Dynasty (N)		News 8 at 10PM		News
9 WCPO	23		News	ABC	News	The List	Shark Tank (N)		(:01) 20/20 (N)				News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	ABC	ET	Inside	Shark Tank (N)		(:01) 20/20 (N)				News
15 WKPC	13		Health	News	PBS NewsHour		Com	Legis.	Wash		Great Performances (N)		World
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	J'pardy!	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (N)				FOX19		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	Final	2022 NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament					NCAA Basketball Trnt.			
34 WBKI	7	7	Mod	Last	Sheldon	Theory	Charmed (N)		Dynasty (N)			Theory	Sheldon	Two
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	Judge	Judge	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (N)				WDRB News		News
A&E	28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		Cold Case Files		Amer. Justice		First 48
AMC	29	26	(5:00) "Live Free or Die Hard"				★★★ "The Fugitive" (1993) Harrison Ford.						"A-
COM	45	59	South	South	South	South	South	South	South	South	South	South	South
DISC	31	38	Gold Rush		Gold Rush		Gold Rush Todd's back for his biggest risk yet. (N)						Gold
DISN	25	29	Bizaard	Bizaard	Bizaard	Raven	Raven	Life	Jessie	Jessie	Jessie	Raven	Raven
ESPN	32	44	SportsCenter (N)		NCAA Women's Basketball				Studio	NCAA Women's Basketball			
FREE	18	40	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	700
FX	40	28	"Spider-Man"		★★★ "Little Women" (2019) Saoirse Ronan.						★★★ "Jojo Rabbit"		
HBO	201	17	Sports	Brilliant Friend	(:45) ★★ "The King's Man" (2021)						Real, Bill Maher		Painting
MAX	270	73	"What	(:23) ★★ "Loser" (2000)			★★ "Taken 2" (2012)			(:40) "Dragon Blade" (2015)			
PARMT	35	41	Two	Two	★★★ "Point Break" (1991) Patrick Swayze.						★★★ "Zero Dark Thirty"		
SHOW	221	16	"American Insurrection"		(:20) "Old Henry" (2021)		"Deadlock" (2021)					"Pulp Fiction"	
TMC	233	74	(5:55) ★★★ "First Cow" (2019)				★★★ "Philadelphia" (1993)				"Manchurian Candidate"		
TNT	27	43	"Star Wars"		(:13) ★★★★ "Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back"						All, Rampage		"Na
USA	26	33	Chicago Fire (N)		Chicago Fire (N)		Chicago Fire (N)		Chicago Fire (N)		Chicago Fire (N)		Chi.
WGN-A	20	20	Donlon Report		On Balance		Marni Hughes		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		News

0900 LEGALS

TER REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT #200805155 AND DONALD A. BAXTER REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST AS RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT #200805156, RECORDS OF THE RECORDER'S OFFICER OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF PROPERTY CONVEYED TO BHW PROPERTIES, LLC BY TRUSTEE'S WARRANTY DEED RECORDED MARCH 7, 2018 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 201800910 SAID NORTHEAST CORNER BEING IN THE CENTER OF INDIANA STATE ROUTE 3; THENCE NORTHWESTERLY 280.00 FEET ALONG THE CENTER OF STATE ROAD 3; THENCE WESTERLY 315.00 FEET ALONG A LINE PARALLEL WITH THE NORTH LINE OF SAID PROPERTY CONVEYED IN INSTRUMENT NO. 201800910; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY 280.00 FEET PARALLEL WITH SAID CENTER OF STATE ROAD 3 TO A POINT ON THE WESTWARD EXTENSION OF THE NORTH LINE OF SAID PROPERTY CONVEYED IN INSTRUMENT NO. 201800910; THENCE EASTERLY 315.00 FEET ALONG SAID NORTH LINE TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, EXCEPTING THEREFROM ANY PORTION THEREOF LYING WITHIN THE RIGHT OF WAY OF STATE ROUTE 3. From its present zoning classification of (R-4) Low Density Residential District to its proposed new zoning classification of (HB) Highway Business District. The purpose of the proposed change is to build and operate a Dollar

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General Store which would be a Limited Price Variety Store in Section 7: Official Schedule of District Regulations in the Jefferson County Zoning Ordinance and would be an approved use in HB zoning. The real estate has previously been used for Agricultural purposes. The entity that will purchase the land is: DGOG-Deputyin11032021, LLC, 1598 Imperial Center, Suite 2001, West Plains, MO, 65775, Telephone: 417-256-4790. The Plan Commission may consider any other business that comes before it at this date and time. BY ORDER OF THE JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA PLAN COMMISSION. By: Lynette Anderson, Secretary, Jefferson County Plan Commission. hspaxlp

TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Circuit Court of Jefferson County, Indiana, in Cause No. 39C01-1911-MF-01088 wherein Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC was Plaintiff, and Dennis K. Woodfill a/k/a Dennis Woodfill, Crystal M. Woodfill a/k/a Crystal Woodfill, and Receivables Management Partners, LLC were Defendants, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 28th day of April, 2022, at the hour of 10:00 A.M. or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 317 South Walnut Street, Madison, IN 47250, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Jefferson County, Indiana.
All of Lot No. One Hundred

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Thlrty-Seven (137) and Forty (40) feet off the east side or Lot No. One Hundred Thirty-Six (136) in Clifty Heights Subdivision, now a part of the City or Madison. See Plat Book 1, pages 144, 145 and 146 in the Recorder's Office or Jefferson County, Indiana.
More commonly known as:
1515 Crozier Ave, Madison, IN 47250
Parcel No. : 39-08-21-332-017.000-007
Together with rents, issues, income, and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisement laws.
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Indianapolis, IN 46204 Madison Township
/S/_____
Sheriff of Jefferson County
Madison Township
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MANNER OF SERVICE: Sheriff
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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Circuit Court of Jefferson County, Indiana, in Cause No. 39C01-1812-MF-01149 wherein United States of America, acting through the Rural Housing Service, its successors and assigns, United States Department of Agriculture was Plaintiff, and Marilyn

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Smith, were Defendants, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 28th day of April , 2022, at the hour of 10:00 am_ or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 317 S. Walnut Street, Madison, IN 47250, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Jefferson County, Indiana.
LOT 88 IN AUDUBON PARK ADDITION, MADISON TOWNSHIP, JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA. (SEE PLAT RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 2, PAGE 123, IN THE RECORDER`S OFFICE OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA
More commonly known as: 3360 North Robin Court, Madison, IN 47250
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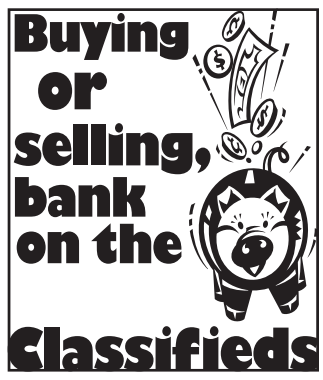

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Previous Solution: "Listening to an underserved population is how you begin to understand them and serve them better." — Constance Wu

TODAY'S CLUE: L = F

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Previous Solution: "Nature takes good care of her appearance. What makes nature ugly is the behavior of human beings." — Akira Kurosawa

TODAY'S CLUE: W = K

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DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★☆☆☆

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	7		3	1		5		
				6		8		9
	6	9		8		7	2	
7		4		9				
		7		5	9		3	
8			6	3	1			
		1	7	2			8	

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PREVIOUS SOLUTION

3	2	7	8	1	6	5	9	4
5	6	9	3	7	4	1	2	8
1	4	8	2	9	5	6	7	3
6	9	5	4	2	3	8	1	7
2	3	1	7	6	8	9	4	5
7	8	4	9	5	1	2	3	6
9	1	3	6	8	7	4	5	2
4	5	6	1	3	2	7	8	9
8	7	2	5	4	9	3	6	1

SUDOKU

DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★☆☆

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9			4	8				
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		2			4		8	
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	1		3			6		
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PREVIOUS SOLUTION

9	1	3	5	7	2	4	6	8
2	5	6	9	4	8	1	7	3
4	7	8	3	1	6	5	9	2
1	3	2	4	6	7	8	5	9
5	6	9	1	8	3	7	2	4
7	8	4	2	9	5	3	1	6
6	4	7	8	5	9	2	3	1
8	2	5	6	3	1	9	4	7
3	9	1	7	2	4	6	8	5

ACROSS
1 Dulcimer's kin
7 Thud
10 Too lenient
14 End a journey
15 Actor — Wallach
16 Jack's giant
17 In twos
18 Many, many years
19 Big family
20 Not enough
23 Fencer's ploy
26 Beauty salon item
27 Adventures
28 Pushed the doorbell
29 Koppel of the news
30 Rank above maj.
31 40-cup brewer
32 Potpie veggie
33 More domineering
37 Ait, on the Seine
38 W-2 collectors
39 Small guitar
40 Last degree
41 Despotism
43 Avg. size
44 Quaker word
45 — -relief
46 Fem. title
47 Native of
48 Divided
51 — — few rounds
52 Huge antlered deer
53 Temple U. locale
56 Pajama coverer
57 Pantry pest
58 Large fleet
62 Ra's symbol
63 Woodland creature
64 — over (fainted)
65 Decorated tinware
66 Down in the dumps
67 Swirled around

DOWN
1 Shock
2 401(k) cousin
3 Part of TNT
4 Taking on staff
5 Big bash
6 Sunset colors
7 Complained
8 Up in the air
9 Fashion length
10 Informal get-togethers
11 Watcher
12 Candid
13 Oasis abodes
21 Anxious
22 Out of business
23 Apples and oranges
24 Before due
25 Visceral
29 Sea swallows
30 Steel mill fuels
32 Fiesta decor
33 Raw deal (2 wds.)
34 Opening remarks
35 Cultural values
36 Verse
42 Early Texas cattle town
46 Lost feathers
47 Bubbled up
48 Brisling
49 Scrapbook item
50 Defame
51 Italian seaport
52 Bogged down
54 Fathers
55 Ocean fish
59 — MacGraw
60 Ruby or Sandra
61 Tote up

PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

E	T	N	A	■	Q	U	A	I	L	■	C	O	L	A
M	E	A	N	■	U	S	U	R	Y	■	U	T	E	S
M	A	R	C	■	E	A	G	E	R	■	R	T	E	S
A	R	C	H	E	S	■	■	N	E	W	B	O	R	N
■	■	■	O	A	T	■	M	E	S	A	■	■	■	■
■	P	U	R	R	I	N	G	■	■	C	O	R	E	R
Y	E	P	■	■	O	C	T	■	■	K	N	A	V	E
O	R	E	G	A	N	O	■	C	R	Y	S	T	A	L
G	O	N	E	R	■	■	W	O	E	■	■	E	D	Y
A	N	D	E	S	■	■	A	D	V	E	R	S	E	■
■	■	■	■	O	K	A	Y	■	I	C	H	■	■	■
T	R	A	I	N	E	D	■	■	V	O	I	C	E	D
Y	A	R	D	■	A	M	A	N	A	■	N	A	V	E
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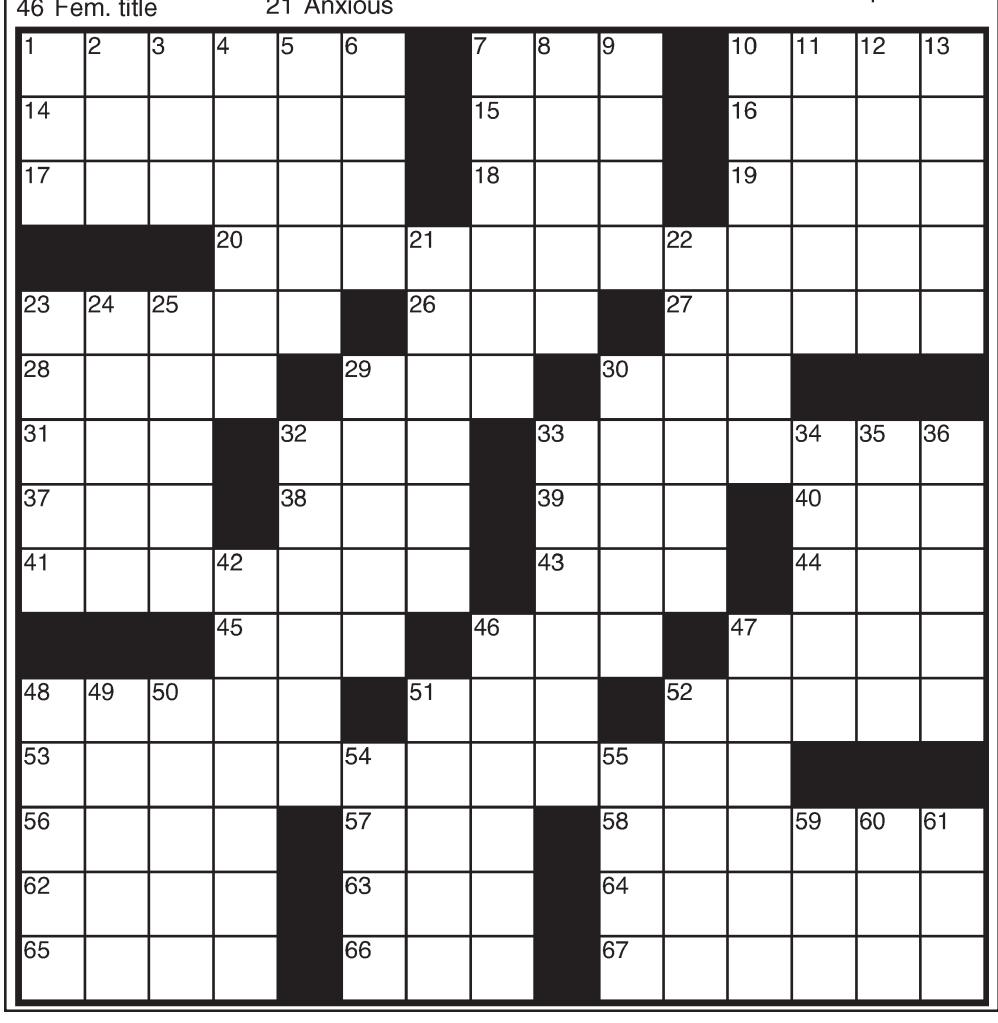

ACROSS
1 Hands, slangily
6 Kind of jockey
10 "Hooray for me!" (hyph.)
14 Island farewell
15 Say likewise
16 Symphony or tome
17 Playing cards
18 Paddock youngster
19 Join
20 Western alliance
21 Sympathy for a grieving one
23 Like some fans
25 Poked
26 Na+ or Cl-
27 Tijuana youngster
29 Fast-growing vine
32 Humdinger
33 Winery cask
36 Huron neighbor
37 "— Street Blues"
38 Bridge or chess
39 Matterhorn
40 "The Little Engine That —"
41 Feel one's way
42 "If I Ran the Zoo" author
43 Water, in Montreal
44 Carmaker's woe
47 Made evident
51 Body of qualified voters
54 Stand wide open
55 Actress Rarriwuy —
56 Mild expletive
57 Chop fine
58 Singer — Brickell
59 Jot down
60 Hombre's address
61 Pinochle combo
62 Qatar ruler
63 Fireplace

DOWN
1 Miracle food
2 Achilles' story
3 Kemo Sabe's pal
4 Speculate
5 Airline to Stockholm
6 Clear the windshield
7 PC screen image
8 Food fish
9 Settle
10 City in Spain
11 Mocking
12 Dummy
13 Requested
21 "Early Start" airer
22 Lawless or Liu
24 Debtor's letters
27 Glowing embers
28 Keep
29 Large parrot
30 Search engine find
31 Ice cream serving
32 — ex machina
33 "— Te Ching"
34 Sports off.
35 Born
37 French fishing port
38 Shabbier
40 Early Briton
41 Moo goo — pan
42 Nailed the quarterback
43 Day before
44 Change the length
45 Drop syllables
46 "C" in C.S. Forester
47 The heavens
48 Huge flower
49 Disney site
50 Steel plow inventor
52 Compartment
53 Italian wine city
57 Flavor enhancer, for short

PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

Z	I	T	H	E	R	■	B	A	M	■	S	O	F	T
A	R	R	I	V	E	■	E	L	I	■	O	G	R	E
P	A	I	R	E	D	■	E	O	N	■	C	L	A	N
■	■	■	I	N	S	U	F	F	I	C	I	E	N	T
F	E	I	N	T	■	N	E	T	■	L	A	R	K	S
R	A	N	G	■	T	E	D	■	C	O	L	■	■	■
U	R	N	■	P	E	A	■	B	O	S	S	I	E	R
I	L	E	■	I	R	S	■	U	K	E	■	N	T	H
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S	P	L	I	T	■	G	O	A	■	M	O	O	S	E
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R	O	B	E	■	A	N	T	■	A	R	M	A	D	A
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T	O	L	E	■	S	A	D	■	E	D	D	I	E	D

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Sacked: Mayfield waits as Browns look to trade him

BY TOM WITHERS
ASSOCIATED PRESS

CLEVELAND — Baker Mayfield was once the No. 1 overall draft pick. He's not anyone's choice at the moment.

He's a quarterback without a team.

Baker Mayfield

Cleveland's starter the past four seasons, Mayfield lost his job last week when the Browns pulled off a trade that shook the NFL by acquiring Deshaun Watson, a three-time Pro Bowler in Houston accused of sexual assault by 22 women.

With Watson due to arrive any day to take over as Cleveland's franchise QB, Mayfield, who requested a trade last week after feeling betrayed by the Browns, is leaving.

When and where he's going is still to be determined.

The quarterback market has dried up this week, with several trades and free agent signings eliminating possible landing spots for Mayfield, who is looking to resurrect his career after a dreadful 2021 season.

It's an astonishing fall for Mayfield, the top pick in 2018 who led the Browns to the playoffs in 2020 and seemed to have finally solved the franchise's two-decade-long search for a franchise quarterback.

He was the face of Cleveland, toast of the town. The Progressive insurance commercials with him and his wife, Emily, living inside FirstEnergy Stadium were a hit.

Even just a week ago, Mayfield still seemed in position to play a fifth season in Cleveland before Watson was persuaded to waive his no-trade clause when the Browns gave him a record $230 million fully guaranteed contract.

Mayfield went from under center to out the door — in an instant.

After the Watson trade was announced, Mayfield needed a new football home, and Indianapolis appeared to be a possibility for Mayfield. But the Colts weren't interested and traded for Atlanta veteran Matt Ryan. The Falcons then signed free agent Marcus Mariota, closing the door on another potential suitor for Mayfield.

The New Orleans Saints decided to re-sign Jameis Winston, wiping out another option for Mayfield.

Seattle remains a potential destination for Mayfield. But the Seahawks, who are starting anew after recently dealing Russell Wilson to Denver, want to try to Drew Lock first and perhaps draft a young QB to back him up.

It's all left Mayfield out.

He is due to make $18.8 million next season, and his contract makes it nearly impossible for the Browns to find a trade partner. There isn't a team willing to pay that hefty price for a backup quarterback, never mind one coming off shoulder surgery, a lousy season and with an image problem.

There's the possibility Cleveland might have to pay a big chunk of Mayfield's salary or throw in a draft pick just to be rid of him.

At this point, a quick separation would be ideal for both sides.

Unfortunately, this could drag on for a while.

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